

CANDIDATES IN A BIG CONFAB

Four State Conventions In Session In Madison Today--Interest Centers In Republicans.

PARTY CHAIRMAN TO BE SELECTED

Edmonds Appears To Have The Advantage Thus Far, Although It Is Not Certain He Has Support Enough To Win.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Madison, Wis., Sept. 22.—Two main controversies marked the republican state platform convention which began in the capitol this noon, the fight for the election of chairman of the state central committee and the struggle over the formulation of the platform. For the chairmanship there are four candidates, as follows:
R. A. Edmonds of Appleton, who successfully managed the campaign of Isaac Stephenson for renomination as United States senator.
August C. Backus of Milwaukee, republican nominee for district attorney of Milwaukee county.
W. C. Cowling of Oshkosh, who managed the senatorial campaign of S. A. Cook.
Dr. Gehbo of Manitowish.
The latter was said in the gossip last night and this morning to be the choice of Lieutenant Governor W. D. Connor and his friends, but that there was probability that the votes mattered for Dr. Gehbo would be held in readiness to be swung to another acceptable candidate at an opportune time. Mr. Cowling is popular in the race and will get his support mainly from the counties in which Mr. Cook ran strong in the primary. He was formerly a member of the assembly. His friends claim that he will have 40 votes on the first ballot.
Mr. Backus is of unknown strength. Last night he was being lipped by the La Follette alliance and was known in the hotel corridors as the La Follette candidate, but there was talk that the Backus movement was only temporary and that another candidate might be brought out. It became apparent that there was a possibility of defeating Mr. Edmonds. In this connection the name of Senator Thomas Morris of La Crosse, was frequently mentioned.
Unquestionably Mr. Edmonds, around whom the Stephenson forces rally, is the leading candidate, and the situation is "Edmonds against the field." His friends declare that he certainly will be elected. They claim that they are not uncertain about the situation and that he would receive the support of a majority of the delegates on the first ballot. They acknowledge that the La Follette movement is dangerous to the republican cause, but they are willing to throw the chairmanship to anybody who might prove the strongest opponent of Mr. Edmonds, but they maintain that there is no candidate upon whom all the supporters of the three other candidates could be united. If any of the others should withdraw, Mr. Edmonds' friends declare he will participate in the division of the support of the withdrawing candidate. Mr. Edmonds' friends say that the vote of Governor Davidson and also of Attorney General Gilbert will go to Edmonds on the first ballot.
The main difference of opinion as to the platform will come over a tentative set of resolutions to be proposed by the La Follette adherents. It is said that these resolutions will declare approval of the course of the Wisconsin delegates to the national convention, and the opposition to such a declaration holds that to declare approval of the plank offered by Wisconsin and rejected by the national convention would be inconsistent with a declaration of approval of the platform and nomination of the national convention, and particularly so in view of the fact that the rejected Wisconsin plank was largely incorporated in the national democratic platform.
These so-called La Follette resolutions also contain a demand for restriction and publicity of money used in primary election contests. To this there appears little objection. The Stephenson people say in this connection that they approve such a thing, that they as well as the other elements in the recent election spent too much money, but that as the others were

spending money like water, it was not to be expected that Senator Stephenson should be exceptions or fail to meet his opponents with their own weapons. The La Follette resolutions also propose the "Mary Ann" of second choice amendment to the primary law, also an amendment for the rotation of names on the primary and also the general election ballot. Senator H. W. Barker said last night that he was not at all certain that he would get his county option plank adopted, but he proposed to offer and insist upon a vote upon it.
The convention was called to order at noon in the supreme courtroom by Chairman Connor. Immediately committees were named, resolutions were referred to the platform committee without reading to the convention, and adjournment was taken to give the committee time to report. The election of state chairman is scheduled to be the last act of the program.
Senator Edmund A. Superior was elected presiding officer of the republican convention and Assemblyman Lawrence Leitch of Oconomowoc secretary.
Senator Edmund made a rousing speech complimenting the party on its achievements and predicting an undivided majority for Taft and the state ticket. Adjournment was taken to 3 o'clock.
The speech of Senator Edmund set the republican convention in convulsions of applause. He declared that he was authorized to say that the La Follette people would work their hardest and vote for Taft, notwithstanding the rejection of La Follette ideas in the republican national convention.
Edmund said the republicans were never in a better fighting trim than after a good scrap among themselves or when the opposition seemed most confident. He declared that the nomination of Senator Stephenson at the primary election settled his election and that the defeated candidates would be found working side by side in the coming campaign for party victory.
He reviewed reforms accomplished by Wisconsin republicans and said little remained to be done other than to correct minor deficiencies as indicated by experience, to amend reform laws wisely to complete and strengthen them and to be ever watchful that the enemies of reform do not by ingenious amendment destroy effectiveness or accomplish substantial repeal of the reforms brought about by the most bitter struggle the party has ever gone through.
The democratic convention is much smaller than the republican gathering. It was called to order by Chairman H. H. Hanson at noon in the state hall office. Earl Williams of Appleton, nominee for lieutenant governor, came with a large collection of resolutions and it seems certain that the convention will not content itself with adopting the brief platform formulated by the pre-primary convention in Milwaukee. It was expected that a caucus of the democrats would be held last night, but the failure of a large number of delegates to arrive caused this plan to be abandoned, but many democrats conferred together and discussed the party's prospects for winning this campaign. It is understood that Mr. Hanson will be understood as state chairman without opposition.
Earl Williams of Appleton presided over the democratic convention and in his speech declared the prospects of carrying the state were never brighter. Senator Paul O. Hastings of Mayville was named chairman of the platform committee.
The social democrats will have a convention, but it will be little more than a handful of men, following out a program made up in Milwaukee and brought to Madison by Victor L. Berger.
The prohibitionists chose W. D. Cox as chairman and Victor L. Berger was elected chairman by the social democrats.
New Jersey now in progress. The powder trust suit seeks to restrain the thirty or more powder companies controlled by the Du Pont de Nemours company from doing business under an alleged agreement. The suit is brought under the Sherman antitrust law, and the government makes the allegation that the powder companies are operating in restraint of trade.
The government's complaint is that an association composed of practically all the manufacturers of gunpowder and other high explosives in the United States was formed in 1872, the object being the elimination of all competition between the members of the association. The only companies which did not enter the agreement were the California Powder Works, the Sycamore Manufacturing Company, and the Lake Superior Powder Company, but, according to the government's complaint, these three companies afterward became parties to what is termed "the combination and conspiracy in restraint of trade and commerce."
After the preliminary hearings have been concluded here the case will be shifted to New York, and a lot of evidence will be taken in that city.



From now until Election we must endure the straw-vote fleet.

ASSOCIATION WILL DISCUSS PROBLEMS

International Law Association Opens Meeting With Many Delegates Present.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Budapest, Sept. 22.—The annual session of the International Law Association began in this city today with delegates present from many countries. Among the topics that the association has scheduled for discussion this year are international arbitration, international aspects of workers' compensation, extradition treaties, nullification of the law of bills of exchange, double taxation, territorial waters, jurisdiction in divorce, and international regulation of road traffic.

LEAGUE WELCOMES HONORED GUESTS

United Irish League of America Holds Brilliant Opening in Faneuil Hall.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Boston, Mass., Sept. 22.—The convention of the United Irish League of America had a brilliant opening in Faneuil Hall today. President Michael J. Ryan of Philadelphia called the gathering to order and presided over the session. Archbishop O'Connell delivered the prayer, and welcomes were extended in behalf of the State of Massachusetts and the city of Boston. The honored guests of the occasion were John Redmond and Joseph Devlin, members of Parliament and leaders in the Irish movement. Taxing the capacity of the hall was an attendance of delegates who came from all parts of the United States and Canada.
The present convention will be in session three days. President Ryan, in his address, pointed out that since the last convention of the United Irish League was held in Philadelphia the cause of Ireland has made substantial progress in the British Parliament. Among the measures passed were bills providing comfortable cottages with one-acre allotments for 30,000 agricultural laborers, conferring marked benefits on town tenants, and repealing the coercion law, known as the "drumhead act." The constant agitation of years has resulted also in the practice of settlement of the Irish University question, and for the first time in three centuries the Catholic youth of Ireland are enabled to enjoy educational facilities on a basis substantially equal to that of their Protestant fellow-countrymen.

PASSENGER AGENTS MEET IN TORONTO

Fifty-third Annual Convention Will Elect Canadian as President.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Toronto, Ont., Sept. 22.—The fifty-third annual convention of the American Association of General Passenger and Ticket Agents began in this city today and will continue over four days. George T. Bell, of the Grand Trunk Railway, will be elected to the presidency of the association and will be the first Canadian to hold that office.

MILTON RESIDENTS MOVE TO RIVERSIDE

Nine People Left on Friday for California, Where They Will Make Future Home.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Milton, Sept. 22.—Mrs. Baker and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Simmons, Mrs. G. H. Maxson, Miss Hattie Maxson and Herbert Harbelle left for Riverside, Calif., Friday, where they will make their future home.
Mrs. Lowry of Evansville has been the guest of her sisters, the Messrs. Mary and Lucy Vincent.
A. M. Van Horn was called to Weston, Iowa, Friday by the death of his mother, who resided here until recently.
Dr. J. M. Palmer and family of Grays Lake, Ill., were visitors in the village Saturday and Sunday.
Mrs. Eliza Crandall of Albion is visiting Milton relatives.
While our system of street lighting is not all that could be desired it can be truthfully said that no village has lamps that are kept in better condition, thanks to Custodian Frank S. Summers, state fair warden of Monroe, spent Saturday here.
Mrs. Karth Hurl of Clear Lake, Iowa, is visiting Milton relatives.
This village was not as largely represented at the Walworth county fair as in former years.
Dr. Knight of Portland, Ore., is visiting at A. F. Davis'.
Miss Leona Sanborn is dangerously ill with appendicitis.

MACK DENIES STORY REGARDING THE CASH

Says He Never Received Any Money That Was Left from Campaign of 1904.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
New York, Sept. 22.—Norman E. Mack, chairman of the Democratic national committee, addressed a telegram to President Roosevelt today in which he denied flatly the statements that he had received three hundred thousand dollars from former Chairman Taggart which was left over from the 1904 campaign, as contained in a reported interview between Timothy L. Woodruff, chairman of the New York republican state committee, and President Roosevelt, which was printed in the papers this morning.

REPUBLICAN LEAGUE MET IN CINCINNATI

Was Called to Order by President John Hays Hammond in Cincinnati.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Cincinnati, O., Sept. 22.—The biennial convention of the National Republican League met in this city today and was called to order by President John Hays Hammond of Massachusetts. The initial session was devoted to welcome addresses and responses, the committee appointments and other business of a routine character. The day is likewise remarkable for the number of prominent party leaders who are among the delegates. Much interest centers in the convention banquet, at which William H. Taft, candidate for the presidency, is to be one of the speakers.

INTERNATIONAL FISHERY CONGRESS CONVENED TODAY

Foreign Delegates Received By Secretary Of State In Reception Hall.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Washington, D. C., Sept. 22.—The men who commune with nature in the trout pools and on the gleaming rapids, and who know what the depths of the lakes and seas of the world contain—who can propagate fish in the sand hills and raise carp on green corn—these are gathered within the gates of Washington today to compare notes, to acquire more of the lore of Isaac Walton and his disciples and, in general, to discuss important questions relating to fishermen, pisciculture and the most necessary piscatorial legislation.
The occasion of the gathering is fourth annual session of the International Fishery Congress. Since the first meeting of the congress held in Paris in 1900, the organization has grown from a comparatively small body of enthusiastic scientists to a truly international movement, with hundreds of interested members, with energetic support from practically every government of the world and with laymen as active in the work as the most abstruse students.
The foreign delegates were received by the Secretary of State in the Diplomatic Reception Hall of the State Department. The first meeting of the congress was held in the hall of the National Geographic Society. Among those who welcomed the delegates was

Secretary of Commerce and Labor Oscar S. Straun. The business sessions of the congress began this afternoon in the assembly room of the New Willard hotel and will continue until the end of this week.
During the convention the members of the congress will be received by President Roosevelt at the White House, and Secretary Straun will give an evening reception. Luncheons will be given to the delegates by the American Fisheries Society, the Blue Ridge Rod and Gun Club and the Alaska Packers' Association, and there will be a large banquet at which the official representatives of foreign governments will be the guests of the congress.
Among the subjects which will be discussed by the congress are those relating to commercial fisheries, matters affecting fishermen and the fishing population, regulation of fishing, international matters affecting fisheries, angling and sport fishing and the diseases of fish. The artificial cultivation of the oyster and lobster will be given special attention.
Next week, following the close of the congress, the members will hold special meetings in New York, Boston, Gloucester and other places, for the purpose of enabling them to visit localities in which they have a special interest.

BRYAN ATTACKS ROOSEVELT PERSONALLY BY TELEGRAM

Defends Governor Haskell Of Oklahoma, In Charges Made By Chief Executive.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Detroit, Mich., Sept. 22.—The remarkable spectacle of a presidential candidate rebuking the chief executive of a nation for making statements deemed to be unjustified, was witnessed today when Wm. J. Bryan in a telegram to President Roosevelt defended Governor Haskell of Oklahoma, treasurer of the democratic national committee, against the charges that he had unlawful connections with the Standard Oil company. Bryan serves notice on the President that as a candidate of the democratic party "I shall not permit any responsible member of the republican organization misrepresent the democratic party in the present campaign."
The letter concludes with a statement that the democratic party is making an "honest and an honorable" fight in the defense of its principles and its policies and expects and will demand honorable treatment from those who are in charge of the republican campaign.

CUBS DEFEATED THE GIANTS IN NEW YORK

Chicago Team Hands the Top-notchers a Severe Jolt Under the Left Rib.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
New York, Sept. 22.—The "Cubs" landed another victory today, making them a bit nearer the flag when they carried off the honors in the first game with the Giants at Polo grounds. Both Brown and Over-all did sub work for the Cubs with Kling behind the bat and Ames and Bresnahan were at the points for the Giants. At the end of the fourth inning Chicago was 4 and New York 0. The final score was:
R. H. E.
Chicago 4 8 0
New York 3 9 4

UPPER MISSISSIPPI IMPROVEMENT ASS'N

Seventh Annual Session of River Improvement Association Meets in Clinton.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Clinton, Iowa, Sept. 22.—The seventh annual session of the Upper Mississippi river improvement association began in this city today. The attendance includes several hundred delegates from points in Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Illinois, and Missouri until Friday. President Thomas Wilkinson is the presiding officer and among the scheduled speakers are a number of congressmen, governors, and others of prominence. The convention will take steps to impress upon congress at its coming session the necessity for improving the upper Mississippi.

RESIGNATIONS WERE ASKED BY PRESIDENT

Too Much Activity on Part of Federal Office-holders Results in Their Leaving Service.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Washington, D. C., Sept. 22.—It is authoritatively spoken today that recent resignation of Second Assistant Postmaster General James T. McHenry and Assistant U. S. Attorney Paul E. Wart, a candidate in Minnesota for the Minnesota congressional nomination, were required by the President because of their political activity.

BEEDLE WINS OUT IN A FINAL COUNT

Defeats J. E. Abbott for the Nomination for Insurance Commissioner.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Madison, Wis., Sept. 22.—As a result of the corrections of the returns on the Insurance commissioner nomination George E. Beedle has a majority of nearly 50 votes over J. E. Abbott for the republican nomination.

POWDER TRUST SUIT BEFORE REFEREE NOW

William O. Mahaffey Began Taking Testimony Today--Thirty Companies Involved.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Wilmington, Del., Sept. 22.—William G. Mahaffey, the special referee appointed by Judge Gray of the United States Circuit Court of the District of Delaware, today began the taking of evidence in the suit begun by the government against the so-called powder trust. The principal defendant in the case is the D. E. L. du Pont de Nemours Company of Delaware. Also involved are about thirty other powder concerns which are alleged to be more or less controlled by the Delaware corporation.
The suit is regarded as one of the greatest that the government has ever brought against a corporation. The capitalization of the powder concerns named in the suit is in excess of \$50,000,000. The same principals are involved as in the government's suit against the Standard Oil Company of

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Fernell Pastry Flour, pkg. 25c
Swanndon Cake Flour, pkg. 25c
Fernell White Corn Meal,
per pkg.15c
Quaker Yellow Corn Meal,
per pkg.15c
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Doty's Corn Meal, per sack.....25c
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trouble knee, all sizes, at 10c a pair.
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6 and 6½, special, at 7c a pair.
Infants' hose, at 10c and 15c a pair.

MRS. E. HALL

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until two o'clock p. m., October 1st,
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Dated Sept. 14, 1908.

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JANESVILLE CAMPERS ARE IN UN-
COMFORTABLE PROXIMITY.

LETTER FROM DOUGLAS KING

Describes Narrow Escape of Himself,
Dr. and Mrs. Palmer and Others
From the Burning Woods.

John D. King, Alex P. Russell, and
the other members of the Janesville
and Beloit party camping at Red Cedar
lake, located in the northeast corner
of Barron county, have been in un-
comfortable terms of intimacy with
the forest fires during the past fort-
night. In a letter received from Mr.
King details are given of a narrow
escape from a portion of the party
and their close call in the
burning woods. He recounts their ex-
periences as follows:

"George Sparks and wife of Beloit,
Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Palmer, and my-
self went out on the Omaha line about
fifty miles and left the train at Win-
ter, where we procured a team and
guide to drive us out to Barker's
lake, located on the east fork of the
Chippewa river about nine miles dis-
tant.

"After we had proceeded about two
miles the smoke became thicker and
we began to see a number of small
fires in the timber. At the end of an-
other mile we were in the midst of
a tract of burning woods. There was
some talk of turning back but our
guide advised us to continue and we
did so. Before long there was fire on
both sides, crossing the road, and al-
so coming up back of us.

"It had become so dense that the
horses' feet and legs were getting
badly burned. The owner informed
us the next day that he feared he
would lose one of the team on this
account. One man who went over the
same road had to abandon his wagon
and the next day, when we came out,
the iron work was all that was left of
the vehicle.

"At the lake we found it necessary
to take boats and row across one out
to the place where we could get ac-
commodations. The smoke was so
thick that you could only see a very
short distance ahead.

"Upon our arrival at the cabins we
found that the fire was all around us.
After supper we went back about
eighty rods from the cabins and saw
a regular burning forest in a tannery
swamp. The next morning we
fished for a few hours but it was so
smoky that we concluded to give up
the fishing and try and get out.

"On our way back the guide had to
stop from time to time and with an
axe clear away trees that had burned
off and fallen across the road. It cer-
tainly looked desolate coming back
and viewing the damage the fire had
done.

"When we reached Winter we learned
that the smoke from the fire we
had passed through had been so thick
as to necessitate the closing of the
saw-mill. The people at the station
were quite surprised that we got
through as luckily as we did. They
said they had been much alarmed re-
garding our safety, fearing that we
might have gotten burned in by the
fire and our escape cut off.

"We were all quite glad to get back
to Red Cedar Lake. Tomorrow Mr.
Russell, Mr. Gaston, and myself are
going to make a trip to Long Lake
for 'muskie' fishing and a try at the
partridge on the road.

Link and Pin

Northwestern Road,
Frank Griffin and Charles Cantwell,
are attending the Jefferson fair this
week.

Schwabman Merrill is relieving
switchman Griffin at the Five Points.

Conductor Blake and Engineer Green
came in extra from North Fond du
Lac at 5:18 this morning.

Conductor Murphy and Engineer
Penner, went out extra this morn-
ing at 8:20 with engine 1611.

St. Paul Road.
Engineer Palmer and Fireman Mc-
Donnell, went out extra yesterday
morning at 10:20 and came in last
night at 11:15, with engine 851.

Engineer Wopler and Fireman Wil-
son, came in extra last night at 10:55.

Engineer Lusk and Fireman Cassol-
man, went out extra yesterday.

Engineer Wilkinson and Fireman
Bates, were on No. 65 this morning.

Engineer Dawes and Fireman
Donley, went out extra at 6:15 this
morning with engine 180 and Engineer
Grandy and Fireman Selig, with en-
gine 1287 went out at 7:45.

VISITING GUESTS
EXCEEDED HOSTS

In Numbers by Ratio of 3 to 1 at En-
tertaining Club by the E.

F. U. Last Evening.
Thirty-five members of the Beloit
branch of the Equitable Fraternal
Union arrived here last evening on a
special excursion car to attend the
regular meeting of the home
order at West Side Odd Fel-
lows' hall. Whether indifference
caused by the hot weather or a
misunderstanding of the date or both
were responsible, does not appear,
but only eleven of the Janesville con-
tingent, including one lady, were on
hand to greet them. Despite this
rather unfavorable circumstance, the
hosts and hostesses made the best of
the situation and a rousing good time
was in progress until midnight. A
dance being given for which Knott &
Hatch's orchestra furnished the mu-
sic, after which a tempting lunch
was served for the visitors just be-
fore their departure. The Janesville
members have been invited to pay Be-
loft a return visit next month.

BRODHEAD
Brodhead, Sept. 22.—Misses Anna
Maud Young and Lillie M. Bocht spent
yesterday in Janesville.

Misses M. Donahue and Ed.
Graham went to Beloit on Monday
for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Stephens of
Madison, who have been visiting at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. George
Marshall for a week past, left for
home on Monday.

Mrs. George M. Pierce of Madison
was a Brodhead visitor from Sunday
noon until Monday morning.

Mrs. C. E. Patterson accompanied
her daughter, Miss Alta Lind, back
to Beloit Monday, the latter having
been here for the past day or two.

Mrs. O. W. Skinner and children
returned Monday to their home in
Brodhead after having spent some
time here with her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. F. J. Smith.

Miss Helen French went to Chicago
on Monday, there to resume her stu-
dies in the university.

Roger Skinner, Roger Moore and
Ralph Hartman all went to Madison
Monday.

Attorney J. L. Sherron of Monroe
was here on business Monday.

Mrs. Rollins Foster of San Fran-
cisco, Cal., who has been the guest of
Rev. and Mrs. G. N. Foster, took her
departure for home on Monday.

Mrs. R. E. Bowen spent Monday in
Monroe.

Mrs. B. F. Raymond of Monroe,
who has been the guest of Dr. and
Mrs. A. Sutherland since Saturday, re-
turned home on Monday.

K. O. Loftus left Monday after-
noon for Granite Falls, Minnesota,
and points in South Dakota on a visit
of six weeks or two months. Mr.
Loftus has been here for some time
and will return with him.

Wm. Zimmerman was a passenger
to Janesville on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Mitchell of De-
lay, who have been visiting Mr. and
Mrs. J. F. Graham, returned home on
Monday.

CROP SERIOUSLY
HURT BY DROUTH

TOBACCO CROP WILL BE FORTY
PER CENT LESS.

HIGH PRICE FOR OLD LEAF

Few Shipments to the East—Local To-
bacco Men Traveling Through
Country.

Business conditions in the tobacco
business remain about the same as
they have been during the summer.
There have been, however, quite a
few inquiries for old goods and there
have been a few large sales made. The
packers are reshipping their old and
75 samples and getting them ready
for the market. Some of the local
packings which have been sold, are
stated to have been sold for fifteen
cents, a loss to the dealer of 25 per
cent. The '98 crop is damaged by
the drouth and will be short on leaf
and in weight. One of the dealers
here says that the outlook is very bad
as the crop is much injured, the dry
weather preventing the leaves from
developing. The early crop will not
do well as the dry weather packers
up the leaves as they are curing in
the shed. The government report in
this respect is incorrect as the crop
will be 60 per cent of the average
instead of the 82 per cent predicted
by the government experts.

The average this year was about 25
per cent less and the drouth will cut the
average almost 25 per cent more.
The tobacco, in drying, should have
an occasional damp spell if the nature
of the leaf are to be preserved.
The farmers could help the curing
some if they would keep the shed
closed during the day and then open
it at night to allow the moisture from
the dews to drift through the shed.
This would, in a measure, retard the
speedy curing, which is bad for the
crop. It is not expected that there
will be much work on the '98-packing
this winter as the crop will be weak
in the bundles before drying. The
prospects for old goods are very
good and good '98 tobacco, will if
held bring more than has been real-
ized from a crop in several years. The
drouth will add a cent a pound a week
to the value of the old goods.

The sampling of last year's crop has
been started at L. B. Carlo & Son's
warehouse and the packing is turn-
ing out to be of very good quality.

Sampling is also being done at Mc-
Call & Birkenmyer's. A shipment of
a twenty case lot was made from that
warehouse today.

A. N. Jones reports the sale of 710
cases of '96 to two Eastern manufac-
turers last week.

Thos. Webb and Sanford Severhill
returned Saturday night from a trip
in the north where they have been to
look over the crops there.

John Sullivan has also been trav-
eling through the local district.
A number of cases of tobacco have
been stored in the new warehouse
just erected by E. K. Baines.

About eight or nine hundred acres of
tobacco in the Beloit have been con-
tracted for in the north by dealers.
G. H. Russell has a force of men at
his Evansville warehouse sampling
their stock. A carload was sent out
from his warehouse here to Eastern
shippers yesterday afternoon.

JOHNSTOWN
Johnstown, Sept. 21.—Mr. and Mrs.
William Emmons' little ten-months
old son died suddenly at four o'clock
Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs.
Emmons had returned to their home
on the L. Cunningham farm after a
visit of several days with his parents
when the little one was taken with
convulsions, and died in a short time.
The burial was at Milton.

Saturday morning the death angel
entered the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Fred Chesmore and summoned their
daughter Wanda after an illness
of a few days. The little one was the
pride of the household and the par-
ents have the sympathy of many
friends. Funeral was from the home
Monday at one o'clock and burial at
Janesville.

Grandma Penhoby was called to
the Rush Killam home Saturday to
help rejoice over the new baby girl
who came to gladden their home
Sept. 19.

Will Cook has resigned his position
in the creamery and Mr. Montgom-
ery has taken his place.

E. Wanka is seriously ill with pneu-
monia at the home of his brother
Otto.

The condition of Mrs. A. McLane
remains about the same.
Gladys Cory has been very ill the
past week, but is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hall are visiting
relatives at Johnson Creek this week
and will take in the Jefferson fair.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hall entertained
friends from Janesville and Johnstown
at Sunday dinner.

Swisher Quits as Candidate.
Charleston, W. Va., Sept. 22.—The
Republican state committee, after
hearing C. W. Swisher's announce-
ment of his withdrawal as a candidate
for governor and after accepting the
resignation, went into executive ses-
sion Monday night to discuss what ac-
tion was to be taken to fill the vac-
ancy.

Big Gift to Tufts College.
Medford, Mass., Sept. 22.—A gift
of \$500,000 to Tufts college under the
provisions of the Baker will recent-
ly admitted to probate in New York
was announced to Tufts students Mon-
day night by President Hamilton. The
money is to be used as a foundation
for a school of finance and accounts.

TRAINS COLLIDED
AT CUT-OFF CITY

Caboose, One Stock Car and an En-
gine Smashed in Acci-
dent Sunday.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Evansville, Sept. 21.—About noon
yesterday while a freight extra was
taking water at this station, it was
cut into by another extra freight train
which became unmanageable owing to
the failure of the brakes to hold,
and the collision resulted in the en-
gine and a stock car on the first
train being smashed, and the front
end of the engine on the incoming
train more or less damaged. Fortu-
nately no one was hurt, but twelve
sheep were killed and a number of
others escaped and scattered through
the town, but were finally gathered
in and taken back to the station. A
crew of wreckers were sent down from
Harbor and the track was cleared
in time for the 6:16 passenger. The
cause of the accident is a mystery
as the machinery was tested and
found to be in good order when it
left Brooklyn.

The "Wee Folks" band will meet
with Mrs. B. B. Billings next Thurs-
day afternoon at three-thirty p. m.
This is the first regular meeting since
the summer vacation. The program
will consist of: Opening Exercises;
Music; Roll Call—Response by the
children; Reading; The Unanswered
Question—Mrs. Peter Smith; Mothers'
exchange. In charge of Mrs. E. Cad-
wallader.

Mrs. Fred Chapin, who resides
about four miles from this city, was
quite seriously burned about the face,
head and neck last week. She was
heating oil on the kitchen stove to
be used for filling the floor, and the
oil boiled over and ignited the flames,
setting fire to her clothing. Her
many friends hope for an early re-
covery.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Kettleson of Mid-
son visited over Sunday with Mr. and
Mrs. E. M. Shaffer.

Robert Sykes spent Sunday with
relatives in Janesville.

William Webb returned Friday
from Spencer, Iowa, where he has
been with relatives for the past three
months.

G. A. Galt, a tobacco buyer of El-
mira, N. Y., is expected here the mid-
dle of October and will be the guest
of C. C. Colony.

John Peterson and son are exhib-
iting a large lot of these fine cattle
at the La Crosse fair this week.

Mrs. J. E. Holly visited with her
daughters in Beloit over Sunday.

L. V. Dodge, a representative of
the Janesville Gazette, was a recent
business visitor here.

Mrs. Robert Hartley has returned
from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Bert
Hilow, in Rockford.

A. E. Johnson visited friends in
Chicago Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Josie Landon returned to her
home in Janesville yesterday after a
brief visit to Mrs. L. B. Loos.

Dr. C. M. Smith spent Friday in
Janesville, having been called there as
consultant.

Robert Morrison of Milwaukee
spent Sunday with his wife, who is
here for a visit to her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. J. Chase and their
son, E. Chase, and wife arrived here
Friday from Lowell, Mass. They will
be the guest of relatives in Evansville
and vicinity. The gentlemen are
wholesale and retail tea dealers. Mr.
Chase is an uncle of Mrs. C. C.
Broughton, at whose home they are
visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Barnard spent
Saturday and Sunday at their Kego-
nau cottage.

There will be a special meeting of
the W. C. T. U. at the home of Mrs.
Marshall Fisher next Friday afternoon.
Ingelbert Kettleson of Atasca spent
Saturday and Sunday with Evansville
friends and went from here to Albion,
Wis., where he is a teacher in the
business college.

Miss Laura Skarning of Madison
visited her brother, Hans Skarning,
in this city yesterday.

Ezra Glendon and wife spent Sunday
at the home of Bert Glendon, near
Brodhead.

Mr. and Mrs. Leodie Denison en-
tertained Mr. and Mrs. William Cory
and daughter Zoe, Mr. and Mrs. Ed-
son Brown of Footville and a num-
ber of Evansville friends at their
home yesterday for Mrs. E. W. Love,
who expects to start in a short time
for her home in California. She will
stop on her way for a visit with rela-
tives in Independence, Iowa.

GIVEN A SURPRISE
BY THEIR FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. John Deesh Royally
Welcomed on Return from
Wedding Trip.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Utica, N. Y., Sept. 21.—Mr. and
Mrs. John Deesh have returned from
their wedding trip and came to house-
keeping at the creamery. Thursday
night about one hundred people, old
and young, surprised them and gave
them a grand reception. After the
company had congratulated, J. W.
Farnsworth was called upon to make
a few remarks in behalf of the com-
pany and presented the young cou-
ple with a fine kitchen cabinet as a
memento of the occasion. A most
sumptuous meal was also given to the
bride and groom, after which a
dainty supper was served by the
ladies. After doing justice to the
supper the company proceeded to en-
joy themselves in various amuse-
ments until they were reminded that
it was about time to go home and do
the milking, and after expressing the
wish that they should have a better
acquaintance with the young couple
and presented the young couple
with their respective homes feeling that
they had spent the night very pleas-
antly.

North & Davis sold a fine span of
blacks to O. W. Bennett, Thursday
morning. Consideration, \$200.

Geo. Hager of Fort Atkinson called
on Wm. Teeshorn and Geo. H. Roe,
Saturday evening. He made the trip
over on his wheel.

George Maxham has sold his farm
consisting of 100 acres to Frank
Lender for \$102 per acre.

T. A. Stephens and sons of White-
water put up a 62-foot steel tower and
windmill for Wm. Hunt, Wednesday,
and a 40-foot tower and mill for Rich-
ard Penock, Friday.

Wm. Teeshorn attended the Wal-
worth county fair Friday, but he says
that he will not do it again until it
gets cooler.

Scymour Blunt of Whitewater spent
Sunday with Roy Farnsworth and fam-
ily.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thwing of Bijou
Hills, S. D., visited Mr. and Mrs. My-
ron Paynter, Friday.

Henry Hiler has concluded to keep
a few sheep on his farm. He pur-
chased a flock of Maurice Simonsen
last week.

Richard Gundersen and Chester Her-
ington attended the dance at Milton
 Junction, Thursday night, and report
a very pleasant time.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Roe enter-
tained her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Franz Kreuger of Richmond, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ludeman visited
friends at Fort Atkinson recently.

Mrs. Joseph Deesh of Rome has
been visiting her sons John and Mat
for a few days.

Miss Edna Sherman spent the past
week with friends at Delavan and
Elkhorn.

Mat Deesh, who has been assisting
Deesh & Farnum at the Spring
Brook creamery the past few months,
has returned to his home at Rome.

Robert Welch drove to Elkhorn
Friday and took in the big fair.

Mrs. Roy Farnsworth is enjoying a
visit from her mother, Mrs. E. B.
Warner of Whitewater, and her un-
cle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John
Thwing of Bijou Hills, S. D.

While Roe spent the past week
at the home of his brother Jason at
Milton and took in the Walworth
county fair, his parents drove down
Friday, returning Sunday, bringing
him with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Schultz and
child spent Sunday with Whitewater
friends.

**SUMMER'S LAST DAY;
90 IN THE SHADE**
Sweltering Weather Monday Despite
Fact That Sun Entered Autumnal
Equinox at 6 a. m. Today.

On Monday the last day of summer
and it was 90 in the shade at noon ac-
cording to thermometers in the down-
town district. Those who complain
because there has been no rain since
early in August are banking hopes on
the equinoctial storms, which are
soon due.

New Through Sleeping Car Between
Chicago and the Black Hills, via
the North Western Line.
Daily through sleeping car service
between Chicago, and Rapid City, S.
D., via Huron and Pierre, on train
leaving Chicago 8:04 P. M., arriving
Huron 8:50 P. M., Pierre 1:40 A. M.,
Rapid City 7:30 A. M., Eastbound,
leave Rapid City 8:32 P. M., Pierre
4:10 A. M., Huron 8:35 A. M., arriving
Chicago 7:10 A. M. Direct Route.
Passing car reservations, schedules
and full particulars, apply to any Tick-
et Agent, The North Western Line.

Read the Want Ads.

Calumet Baking Powder
The only high-class
Baking Powder sold at
a moderate price.

THE CLOTHES
that I am now turning
out are
TRADE BUILDERS

The handsomest assort-
ment of Imported Work-
suits, Cheviots and Cassi-
meres (and guaranteed all
wool) ever shown in this
city.

You Must See Them
to be convinced of the
above assertion.

Everything Guaranteed
Fit, trimmings and work-
manship and a saving to
you at from 25 to 50 per
cent.

(Once Your Tailor,
Always Your Tailor.)

H. V. ALLEN
58 So. Main St.

Perhaps Yours is
An Old-Fashioned
Furnace.

Probably it has been used
for years and years and may-
be it is not giving the results

FORAKER HARD HIT BY THE PRESIDENT

STATEMENT TURNING HEARST'S CHARGE TO TAFT'S BENEFIT.

WARM APPEAL TO VOTERS

Candidate's Refusal to Obtain Nomination Coupled With Indorsement of Ohio Senator Is Made Public.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Sept. 22.—Late Monday Secretary Lusk gave to representatives of the press a formal statement by the president, which was called forth by the recent exchanges between William H. Hearst and Senator Foraker of Ohio.

Mr. Hearst, in public utterances, had accused the senator of relations with the Standard Oil Company inconsistent with his duties as a senator and his attitude as a representative of Republican policies and professions. In his statement President Roosevelt makes another appeal for the support of Mr. Taft and declares that his defeat would bring "lasting satisfaction to but one set of men, namely, to those men who, as shown in the correspondence published by Mr. Hearst, were behind Mr. Foraker, the opponent of Mr. Taft, within his own party, and who now are behind Gov. Haskell and his associates, the opponents of Mr. Taft in the opposite party."

Taft's Firm Attitude.

The statement in full follows:

"In view of Mr. Hearst's disclosures about Senator Foraker, I make public the following letter written by Mr. Taft on July 29, 1907, to a friend in Ohio, prominent in Ohio politics, who wrote him before the meeting of the state central committee asking whether he would object to the committee passing a resolution indorsing Mr. Taft for president and Mr. Foraker for senator, in the interest of harmony. A copy of this letter was submitted to me at the time but after the original had been sent it was understood, for publication, but it was understood, that if necessary it should be published.

"I personally know that the strongest pressure by various party leaders was brought on Mr. Taft at that time, to consent to the proposed arrangement and he was informed by leading men from other states that if he would consent to this arrangement all opposition on the part of Mr. Foraker, and on the part of some of Mr. Foraker's influential friends in the senate and elsewhere would cease, and that Mr. Taft's nomination for the presidency would be assured. But Mr. Taft declined for one moment to consider any possible advantage to himself where what he regarded as a great principle was at stake. His attitude on this question, as well as on countless questions, convinced me that of all the men in this union, he was the man pre-eminently fit in point of uprightness and character, of fairness and aggressive honesty, and of fitness for championing the rights of the people as a whole, to be president.

Argument for Taft's Election.

"Senator Foraker has been a leader among those members of congress of both parties who have resolutely opposed the great policies of internal reform for which the administration has made itself responsible. His attitude has been that of certain other public men, notably (as shown in this same correspondence published by Mr. Hearst), Gov. Haskell of Oklahoma. There is a striking difference in one respect, however, in the present positions of Gov. Haskell and Senator Foraker. Gov. Haskell stands high in the councils of Mr. Bryan and is the treasurer of his national campaign committee. Senator Foraker represents only the forces which in embittered fashion fought the nomination of Mr. Taft and which were definitely deprived of power within the Republican party when Mr. Taft was nominated. The publication of this correspondence not merely justifies in striking fashion the action of the administration, but also casts a curious side light on the attacks made upon the administration both in the Denver convention which nominated Mr. Bryan and in the course of Mr. Bryan's campaign.

"There is but one way to preserve and perpetuate the great reforms, the great advances in righteousness and upright and fair dealing, which have marked the management of the affairs of the national government during the last seven years; and that is by electing Mr. Taft. To defeat him will bring lasting satisfaction to but one set of men, namely, to those men who, as shown in the correspondence published by Mr. Hearst, were behind Mr. Foraker, the opponent of Mr. Taft within his own party, and who now are behind Gov. Haskell and his associates, the opponents of Mr. Taft in the opposite party.

Rap at Brownsville Agitation.

"The great and sinister moneyed interests which have shown such hostility to the administration and now to Mr. Taft, have grown to oppose the administration on various matters, not connected with those which mark the real point of difference. For instance, the entire agitation over Brownsville was in large part not a genuine agitation on behalf of colored men at all, but merely one phase of the effort by the representatives of certain land-granting corporations to bring discredit upon the administration because it was seeking to cut out the evils connected, not only with the corrupt use of wealth, but especially with the corrupt alliance between certain business men of large fortunes and certain politicians of great office.

The vicious hostility of those in-

terests, and of their special representatives in public life and in the press, to the nomination of Mr. Taft, was merely the natural sequence of their hostility to the measures of the administration for the regulation of great corporations doing an interstate business and to the attitude of the administration in consistently prosecuting all offenders of great wealth, precisely as it has prosecuted all other offenders. Mr. Taft has been nominated for the very reason that he is the antithesis of the forces that were responsible for Mr. Foraker.

Text of the Letter.

"The letter of Mr. Taft in part is as follows:

"War Department, Washington.—Pointe au Pic, Canada, July 29, 1907.—My Dear Mr. —: In respect to one inquiry of yours, I wish to express myself with as much emphasis as possible; that is, whether I would object to a compromise resolution which shall include an indorsement of myself for the presidency and Senator Foraker for the senatorship. In my judgment it would be not only a great mistake—something more, it would be accepted necessarily as a compromise on my behalf, and, therefore, with my acquiescence or at least with the acquiescence of my friends, for whose action I am more or less responsible. It would totally misrepresent my position.

"I don't care for the presidency if it has to come by compromise with Senator Foraker or anyone else in a matter of principle. He has opposed the vital policies and principles of the administration and in his opposition has seized upon and magnified an important but incidental matter to embarrass the administration, using in this, without scruple, a blind race prejudice to accomplish his main purpose."

Warm Eulogy of Taft.

"I publish this letter without Mr. Taft's knowledge, because I feel it my duty to the public that his attitude should be known. The man who unhesitatingly resists temptation, who cannot be swayed by any consideration of personal interest from following the course which his lofty conception of duty dictates to him, the man whose whole concern is for the welfare of the people, and who has proved in a lifetime of difficult and useful public service his extraordinary capacity as an administrator, is surely the man of all others to be intrusted with the presidency.

"Mr. Taft's candidacy is not based upon large and vague promises, part of which would be impossible of achievement and part of which would be absolutely unobtainable to the people of the whole country if put into effect. His candidacy is based upon his great record of actual achievement, his great record of service to the public, upon his inflexible adherence to the highest standards of righteousness, and upon his proved and absolute fearlessness in relentlessly warring against evil wherever it may be found. I appeal to all good citizens, to all high-minded, conscientious men who love their country for the sake of their country, to put such a man at its head. Theodore Roosevelt.

"Sagamore Hill, Oyster Bay, September 21, 1907."

Hitchcock Still Controls.

Cincinnati, Sept. 22.—Judge Taft's telegram expressing confidence in National Chairman Frank Hitchcock, assuring him that he is in supreme control, and welcoming with him the assistance of Senator Crane and the executive and advisory committees, was the one news production of the (Republican) presidential candidate Monday. The telegram was brought forth by publications indicating that the national chairman was to be subordinated in the control of the campaign.

A revised itinerary of the Taft western trip was announced, which plans to take the candidate to Clinton, Burlington, Davenport and Des Moines September 25, immediately after he has concluded the Milwaukee meeting Thursday night. The party will then go to St. Paul and Minneapolis and carry out the original itinerary.

STEWART MAY BE RETIRED.

'Exiled' Colonel Ordered Before Board for Physical Examination.

Washington, Sept. 22.—Col. William F. Stewart of the coast artillery, whose case, because of his detail to the ungarriomed post at Fort Grant, Arizona, has been before the public for some time, has been ordered to appear before a retiring board at Washington, D. C., where he will be examined as to his disability, its nature and whether it was incurred in the line of duty.

Utah Democrats Convene.

Logan, Utah, Sept. 22.—The Democratic state convention met here Tuesday to nominate a complete state ticket, a candidate for congress and presidential electors. With the nomination of Jesse Wright, a prominent mining man, for governor, almost a certainty, there are a number of lively fights for the remaining places on the ticket.

Strange Lobby in Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 22.—One thousand temperance workers of Indiana Monday assembled in the corridors of the statehouse and prayed for the passage of a county local option bill. The demonstration was arranged by the Anti-Saloon League and those present included ministers, Sunday school teachers, and many women.

Needn't Close Doors.

According to a decision by the state's attorney and the counsel to the police board of Baltimore the hotel-keepers of that city, under the liquor law passed by the last legislature, will have little use for the keys to their barrooms. They can sell liquor at almost any time.

Read the want ads.

TOWN IS BURNED; SIX LIVES LOST

FOSTER CITY, MICH., DESTROYED BY FOREST FIRES.

OTHER PLACES IN DANGER

Flames in Woods Break Out Afresh and the Residents of Several Villages Take Refuge in Flight.

Marquette, Wis., Sept. 22.—A dispatch from Foster City, a village across the Michigan line of Marquette county, reports that place destroyed by flames driven in from the forest fires and that six lives were lost. It is understood that the sawmill owned by the Morgan interests of Oshkosh was destroyed, together with a large store and 30 dwellings.

The forest fires have broken out afresh in this section and reports of burning farmhouses and timber cut and uncut are coming from all sides. Residents Ready to Flee.

Menominee, Mich., Sept. 22.—Never since 1871, when the forest fires swept Menominee and Marquette counties, causing a loss of 1,500 lives and millions of dollars' worth of timber, has the danger of a widespread conflagration been as great as at present. So close are the fires to Niagara, on the Menominee river, Pothorn Junction and Ingalls that everything is packed and trains ready to carry the people away as soon as a high wind arises.

Several Towns Threatened.

Caumet, Mich., reports forest fires

assuming a threatening aspect all over northern Michigan and several towns in danger of destruction. Lake La Belle, north of Caumet, is in very grave danger, being surrounded, except on the water side, by flames. At Beto Do Cris, north of Caumet, a large house is battling to save the light-house and other buildings at the United States ship canal. It is estimated 800,000 feet of standing timber in the vicinity of Point Abino, owned by Hobard & Son is burned. Several towns in the Iron country are in danger and residents are fleeing with their goods to large centers.

Leaving Endangered Villages.

Escanaba, Mich., Sept. 22.—Forest fires, though checked by light rains Friday, broke out anew Sunday night and four villages north of Escanaba are now surrounded by flames. The villages threatened are Niagara, Quinnes, Foster City and Hornumville. At all these places telephone and telegraph communication is cut off and relief trains are carrying the people out of the territory.

Field Calls for Help.

Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 22.—The fire department was called upon Monday to go to the relief of the town of Escanaba, Wis., threatened by forest fires, and engine company No. 16 and 2,000 feet of hose were sent at noon over the Wisconsin Central railroad.

Prayers for Rain Ordered.

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 22.—Most Rev. Sebastian G. Messner, archbishop of Milwaukee, has sent a letter to the clergy of his diocese, ordering prayers for rain.

Only Colony of Kind.

The colony of Barbary apes on the Rock of Gibraltar is the only one of its kind in existence, and is being protected by the British government.

Buy it in Janesville.

NEWS FROM NEAR-BY NEIGHBORS

Koshkonong, Sept. 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bassett of Grand Rapids, this state, are visiting at the home of his uncle, T. D. Bassett, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ames of Iowa have been visiting old friends.

Mrs. Vogel's mother from Jefferson made her a few days' visit on her way to Beloit to visit another daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kraus attended the fair at Watertown, Thursday.

Mrs. Charlotte Hall returned from a visit with her granddaughter and other relatives at Clear Lake, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Kumpf and three children returned to Chicago after spending a week at R. Miller's.

Will Miller showed some of his white leghorn poultry at the Watertown fair this week.

Rev. G. Lewis of Milton Junction visited Otter Creek school Monday.

Peter Traynor and James Trono attended the school board convention in Janesville last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ayon Rye of Johnson spent one day recently at the home of her brother, P. G. Which.

Miss Zella Tilton of Edgerton and Hubert Coy of Beloit were married Wednesday, Sept. 10, at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Shuman by Rev. Frank Richardson of Edgerton. Only the relatives were present. The newly married couple will visit Madison, Milwaukee and Chicago before going to housekeeping at Beloit.

Mrs. M. C. Garriges very pleasantly entertained the Mite society at supper Thursday afternoon. About twenty were present. The work for the afternoon was the piecing of quilt blocks. The next meeting will be held Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 23, with Mrs. Dave Brown.

There were no preaching services at Otter Creek church Sunday on account of the pastor attending conference.

Two young men on horseback, from Milwaukee, on their way to San Francisco, Cal., passed through Koshkonong Saturday evening. They are sent out by the Sportmen's Publishing company of Milwaukee in the interest of the Outer's Book, a magazine of outdoor interest.

COOKSVILLE

Cooksville, Sept. 22.—Lewis Erickson and son Edwin went to Minneapolis on Saturday, where they will spend a few days visiting the former's daughters, Anna and Laura, who are bookkeepers at that place. He will visit with a sister, who he has not seen for twenty years and who expects to meet him there.

Cluido Banks of Stoughton was an overnights visitor Tuesday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Millie Johnson.

Mrs. Horn, who has been seriously ill, is getting slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Shawson of Evansville were visitors at home of James Gillies last Tuesday.

Miss Ella Morgan was an over-Sunday visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Edson Brown of Center.

Robert Ross and family of St. Paul are visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Ellen Love was an over-Sunday guest of Leola Donahoe and family near Evansville.

James and Mrs. Gillies and Warren Porter took in the sights at the Elkhorn fair last week.

Charles Hagan and family of Rutland were guests of Irvillo Johnson and family on Sunday.

Mrs. Halsey Johnson had quite a painful accident last Thursday while going down cellar, when she fell striking on her shoulder and receiving several severe bruises. However, she escaped breaking any bones. She being over ninety it was quite a narrow escape.

Dell Dantes and family were Sunday guests of Paul Savage and wife.

Mr. Norby and family are packing their house and will soon move.

Mrs. Stephen Warner and Mrs. James Allen have gone to Milwaukee on business.

GIBBS LAKE

Gibbs Lake, Sept. 21.—Miss Marie Lay and Miss Irene Hoffman have just returned home from camping at Lake Koshkonong with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Watts of Janesville.

Lora Rossenden is spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Jane Fessenden.

James and Chas. Hoague of Burr

Oak were over-Sunday visitors at their uncle's, Chas. Hoague, Sr.

Mrs. Joe Wheeler and daughter Elanora were Sunday callers with Mrs. Wm. Mosher.

Ed. Fox, teacher, returned home last Saturday after spending the week visiting with relatives in Chicago.

Miss Mary Churchill returned home Thursday from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Frank Henson of Newville.

John Lay has just completed a fine large barn.

Ernest Kohn is the possessor of a fine new rubber tire runabout.

Mrs. Fred Pouch and son and Mrs. Chas. Jones were Janesville visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Wm. Mosher and Mrs. Joe Wheeler were Janesville shoppers Thursday.

Quite a few from here attended the tea given at Geo. Nichols' Friday night.

Hurr Talbot and Leola Pierce of Evansville visited with Chas. Jones, Wednesday.

Chas. Hoague has a sick horse, but it is getting along nicely.

Fred Pouch and John Lay entertained threshers last week and M. Ford finished hulling clover.

Wm. Mosher and T. Ford, members of the school board, were in Janesville, Tuesday to get the school books for this district. School opened Sept. 21 and has an enrollment of 36 scholars and Miss Jennie Murray is the teacher.

Ed. Churchill and family spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Churchill.

Ben Towne and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pouch were among those who attended the state fair in Milwaukee.

Tobacco buyers have been in this vicinity but no sales are reported as made as yet.

SANDY SINKS

Sandy Sink, Sept. 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Hildhold Becker spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Hudson.

The Misses Ella and Gerlie Van Antwerp spent from Saturday until Monday at Stoughton.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Apfel and Mrs. Becker spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Huetow.

Thomas Carroll and family called in the vicinity Saturday evening and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Yahnke entertained company Sunday.

Albert and Edward Yahnke called at A. P. Budewitz's Monday evening.

Master Herman Carroll returned to his home Sunday after spending the past three months in this vicinity.

Wm. Fiedler, wife and daughter called at W. A. Becker's, Sunday forenoon.

BURR OAK

Burr Oak, Sept. 21.—Miss Margaret Reges is working in Janesville.

John Chesedro and Louis Hoague attended the bull game Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Tronson and Miss Hubbard were seen on city streets Sunday.

Bert Hoague spent Sunday in Janesville.

The Burr Oak school has not started yet on account of the repairing of the schoolhouse.

Mrs. Henry Shuman is not feeling well these days.

Miss Margaret Kennedy spent Saturday in Janesville.

Doll Murwin is putting a new roof on his tobacco shed.

Harry Chesedro is working for Henry Kenley this week.

Corning is the order of the day. W. L. Hoague has painted the other board on his barn which makes it look much better.

Joe Kennedy rode back and forth to school in his new harness.

James and Charley Hoague spent Sunday at their uncle's, Charles Hoague, in Porter.

NORTH JOHNSTOWN

North Johnstown, Sept. 21.—Johnstown was well represented at the Elkhorn fair last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McNally and children of Harmony were Sunday visitors at Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Joyce's.

A harvest party will be given at Martin Joyce's, Jr., one mile north of Johnstown Center, in a new barn which has just been erected. The date is Friday evening, Sept. 25. The supper: Kniff & Hatch's orchestra of Janesville. Coffee will be served.

Martha Conlin was a Sunday caller at J. Malone's.

Miss Julia Pierce entertained company Sunday afternoon.

Don't forget the barn dance at Martin Joyce's, Jr., Friday evening, Sept. 25.

LIMA

Lima, Sept. 21.—Still hot and dry.

Leola Fox, who has been laid up for the past three weeks with a broken leg and ankle, was down town Monday on crutches.

Mr. and Mrs. Ogle of Oxford, Wis., are visiting her sister, Mrs. M. A. Gould. A brother, Lorenzo Frazier, of Oxford, was an overnight visitor the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Bart Collins will entertain friends from Milton Junction and Milwaukee today.

Mrs. Fred Truman is on the sick list.

Someone stole Mr. Hudson's peaches Sunday night.

Mrs. Ella Elphick and Mrs. Alice Harrington attended a reunion of the Gracians in Milton on Tuesday.

There was a party and dance at the home of Frank Grant, Saturday evening.

Miss Iva Collins of Janesville is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. Materson.

Mrs. Frank Bowers attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Armstrong, in Whitewater on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Twigg of Mitchell, S. D., are visiting her brother, S. M. Gleson and family. Fred Downing of Madison was an over-Sunday visitor also.

Miss Anna Malwitz was one from Janesville over Sunday.

W. D. McComb is now sole owner of the economy, having bought H. Godfrey's interest in it.

Excusive Drinking

Orrine Destroys the Craving for Drink. Sold Under Positive Guarantee.

Excusive or continued use of alcoholic beverages always results in a diseased condition of the nervous system.

The drinking man is often heard to say, "I can stop of my own free will and when I wish," but the poor fellow is now devoid of the power to act at the proper time and in the right way.

It's too late, the craving has secured a firm hold and because of the diseased nervous system he has not the ability for sustained effort. The result we all know.

Drunkness is no longer considered a crime; eminent scientists and physicians have agreed that it is a disease and must be treated as such.

The home treatment that has been used for a number of years, and is highly successful, is Orrine. It is sold under a positive guarantee that if it does not effect a cure your money will be refunded.

Orrine is in two forms. When desiring to give secretly, purchase Orrine No. 1, and if the patient will voluntarily take the treatment, Orrine No. 2 should be given. The guarantee is the same in either case. Orrine costs but \$1.00 per box. Mailed in plain sealed wrapper on receipt of price. Write for free treatise on "Drunkness" mailed in sealed envelope by The Orrine Co., Washington, D. C., and in this city by People's Drug Co. and King's Pharmacy. Want ads, bring results.

Five Sharples Tubular Separators Sold in Janesville in One Week

We have proven to five good farmers in one week that Sharples Separators are the best. Call and let us show you how they are simple—almost the way through a child can feed, operate, clean, and put them together properly and safely. They vary from one high to waist height, according to size, the supply can be somewhat lower. They have wholly enclosed gears running in a jacket of oil; no oil cups or oil holes. They need but a powerful or two of all ones or twice a week.

Daily Tubular bowls vary from 6 to 18 in. in length and from 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 in. in diameter, being light and easy to handle. The bowl is as smooth inside as outside, and contains no hidden parts; the dividing wall is a small, smooth hollow piece, open at both ends, used simply as a little guide to direct the cream to its outlet; the bowl bottom is used to close the bowl. Just 3 parts to a Tubular bowl. Nothing to get out of order or break. The Tubular bowl turns on a single ball bearing, from which it hangs, and will not wobble or bind. It is the only simple bowl, and may be thoroughly washed in one minute. It holds the world's record for clean skimming, having defeated all competitors more than two to one, in the national skimming contest, held at Fairmont, Minn., Dec. 17, 1907.

No other separator shows such records for clean skimming, high grade cream, durability, economy, or time and labor saving devices. If five good men all decide to buy in one week, after a thorough examination, I'm sure we can please you as well.

Send for complete illustrated catalogue No. 20 and price list No. 21, or better still, call and see them when in Janesville.

D. M. BARLASS

East End Court Street Bridge, Janesville, Wis.

NAMES OF CANDIDATES PUBLISHED TOMORROW

Tomorrow The First Guns In The Approaching Conflict Will Be Fired—Battle Camps Are Being Staked Throughout This Vicinity And The Supporters Of The Different Leaders Will Be Called To The Front In No Small Numbers—Volunteers Are Already Enrolling Their Names and Declaring For Their Favorites—Fall Into Line Or Institute a Camp of Your Own

WHO WILL WIN THE TRIP TO EUROPE?

If the name of your choice for the trip or diamonds or watches is not in the list, fill in the ballot which is published daily and send it to this office and it will be included in the next issue.

THE GRAND PRIZE

The GRAND PRIZE to be awarded the successful candidate in this great voting contest consists of first class railroad travel with Pullman sleeper and meals a la carte en route to Boston where a party conducted by Thos. Cook and son will be joined and steamship for Glasgow will be boarded. After the voyage across the great Atlantic the first place to be visited will be the land of the thistle. In Glasgow the old cathedral and the chief points of interest will be visited, including Calton Hill, Holyrood Palace, the Castle, etc. Then travel by Midland Railway via Carlisle to London, the capital of England. Four days will be spent in London and a carriage will be provided to visit the many points of interest, including the Houses of Parliament, Westminster Abbey, St. Paul's Cathedral, National Gallery, the Parks, Thames Embankment, etc. From London to Glasgow, thence to Paris the capital of the French Republic, where four days will be passed. Carriages will be furnished and the interesting places and objects in and around the city, including the Invalides and Tomb of Napoleon I, Palace of the Louvre, Cathedral of Notre Dame, the Boulevards, Place de la Concorde, etc., will be visited. Also an excursion by rail to the Palace and Gardens of Versailles. Leave Paris by rail for Harve and sail for America and HOME.

All necessary expenses are paid and a guide furnished from arrival at Glasgow to departure at Harve.

The Districts, the Prizes and Where They Will Go.

Candidates compete only with those residing in their own district, but are privileged to secure support and work for votes in any district.

Would You

have your worn-out and aching teeth extracted if you knew it could be done PAINLESSLY?

Would you have bridge work made to replace same teeth you have lost if you knew it would prove satisfactory?

Would you have your teeth filled if you knew they would be preserved and guaranteed to last?

Would you have a badly decayed or broken tooth crowned if you knew it would renew its use and last as long as a sound tooth?

If so, place your teeth in my care and you may realize each and every one of the above desires. Glad to have a T.O.T.H. TALK with you any time.

DR. F. T. RICHARDS

GRADUATE DENTIST.
Office over Hall & Sayles' jewelry store
Janesville, Wis.

DRY CLEANING



DON'T WAIST WAISTS.
By discarding them just because they happen to be a little soiled in the wearing. You don't have to lose them. Send them to us and we will renew their life, and make them spotless for you. Our system of cleaning is positively perfect, and enables us to save much money yearly for our customers in the way of cutting down dress-makers' bills.

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OPPOSITE MYERS HOUSE.

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First National Bank

JANESVILLE, WIS.

32 years' record of safe banking.

This bank gives careful attention to all checking and commercial accounts and extends liberal accommodations to its customers.

It has a Savings Department, paying 3 per cent interest and issues also interest bearing Demand Certificates of Deposit.

A Stove That Will Bake Good Bread Will Bake Anything

During the past week there has been used at the Sheldon Hardware Co., for demonstration one of our \$15.00 Gas Ranges, baking as high as 100 small loaves of bread each day with perfect success.

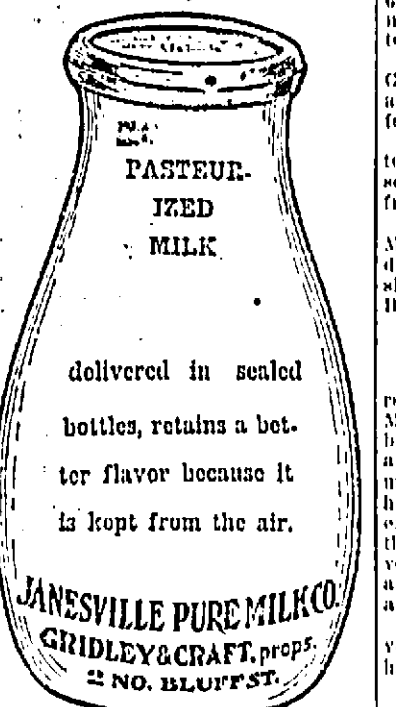
Gas is ideal for baking for the reason that any desired degree of heat may be continued as long as needed. And the oven is so constructed as to be uniformly heated throughout.

In selling this Gas Range we make all connections free, anywhere along the line of our mains.

The cost set up in your kitchen is but \$15.00. Let our assistant tell you more. Either phone, or drop us a postal.

NEW GAS LIGHT CO.

Our representative will call. Either phone 113.



delivered in sealed bottles, retains a better flavor because it is kept from the air.

JANESVILLE PURE MILK CO.
GRIDLEY & CRAFT, props.
2 NO. BLUFF ST.

REPORTED INJURED IN AN AUTO WRECK

Miss Annie Hefty, Formerly Employed in Janesville, Hurt in Sterling, Illinois.

Word has been received from Sterling, Ill., stating that Miss Annie Hefty, formerly employed in a private family and later at the Grand Hotel in this city, was so severely injured in an automobile accident in the Illinois city it is not expected she will live. No details were learned of the accident. Miss Hefty left the Grand Hotel last April to go with Dave Young when he opened his hotel at Sterling. Before coming to Janesville she lived in New Glarus, where her parents reside.

Telegraphic Report.
Sterling, Ill., Sept. 22.—As a result of an automobile turning turtle at a sharp curve near here early today, Annie Hefty of Janesville, Wis., and Emma Troy of Sterling are at the point of death, and Katie Mulcahy of Rock Island and Lillian Watson of Sterling are severely injured. Four other occupants of the car are slightly hurt. The party was returning from a pleasure trip to Dixon, when the wheels skidded, a tire burst, and the machine turned over with Miss Hefty underneath.

TWO COUNCILS WILL HOLD JOINT SOCIAL

Janesville and Beloit Knights of Columbus to Hold Social Next Thursday.

On next Thursday evening the Janesville and Beloit councils of the Knights of Columbus will hold a joint social in their hall. A musical program will be given and an address will be given by Francis O'Shaughnessy of Chicago. Mr. O'Shaughnessy is a Chicago lawyer and comes highly recommended as a speaker. At the close of the program there will be a dance.

CURRENT ITEMS.

Graduate This Evening: Graduation exercises of the training school conducted by the Sisters of Mercy at the Palmer Memorial Mercy hospital will be held at Library hall this evening. The class of 1908 consists of Miss Elizabeth Eleanor Taylor and Miss Minnie Tows.

Attention Twilight Club: All who have not sent in the return postals giving answers to important questions relating to the future policy of the organization are requested by Judge C. L. Fitch to do so at once.

Automobile Parties: Two Madison automobile parties consisting of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Cory and children, James P. Cory and Dan Scullion, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mahan, Mrs. A. E. Baxter, and George Pinger were registered at the Grand hotel yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Roberts, Shepherd Roberts, and Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Howe of Milwaukee were registered at the Hotel Myers today.

Miss Della Walker to Leave: Miss Della Walker, who has been cook at the Hotel Myers for four years past and who came here from Ashland with Mrs. McNeill, has given up her position. She is to be married to Mr. Sweet, a railroad mail clerk, during the next fortnight, and they have purchased and will manage a fashionable boardinghouse in Elm Claire.

CAN PEACHES NOW--THE LAST OF THE SEASON.

To those who have not yet canned their peaches it is an opportune time now. Peaches have about played out, though for the next few days there will be a good supply at all local dealers. The peaches are the Michigan varieties, a good peach for canning. The prices and the grade of peaches are favorable for canning, and are much better than those to be had last year. The next few days, however, will see the last of peaches for this season, in quantities large enough for canning.

CURRENT ITEMS.

Solvey—burn it as you do hard coal.
The Lake House, Koshkonong, now prepared to take care of guests by day or week.

Children's extra heavy ribbed school hose, regular 25c value, special at 15c. T. P. Burns.

Free exhibition of perfect pantry in Sutherland block, over Rehberg's store. Call and see them.

Boy wanted at once to work in drug store. J. P. Baker.

Janesville Chapter No. 69, O. E. S., will serve a banquet in Masonic hall tomorrow (Wednesday) evening at 6:30 o'clock, following which the regular meeting will be held. M. Chittenden, Secy.

Regular meeting of the Harry L. Clifford auxiliary Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in U. S. W. V. hall, followed by supper and social.

The Drill Team of the National Fraternal League will give a dance at Assembly hall Monday, Sept. 28. Ladies free and a good time to all.

Large sample line of ladies' and misses' suits just purchased at a great discount. All the new fall styles are shown at special low prices. T. P. Burns.

DIRECTOIRE BONNETS.
The fascinating mannish hat of Directoire model is simply charming. Made of the simplest kind of navy blue, black or gray, felt shape, with a broad folded piece of velvet to match, mirrored in stripes around the high crown. Handsome, though inexpensive duck wings are used and the mode caochon, covered with velvet make this Directoire suggestion a correct, inexpensive and certainly a smart hat for early fall.

Mrs. C. A. O'Brien has several very clever ideas in this particular hat now ready for her customers.

Buy it in Janesville.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Alice London of Meridian, Miss., is the guest of her cousin, J. W. London and Mrs. Chas. Hines, 101 Race street.

E. D. McGowan goes to Chicago tomorrow on local business.

J. L. Wilcox leaves tomorrow for a trip through the west.

Members of the Shakespeare club enjoyed an outing up the river Saturday.

Rev. R. C. Denison, Donald, Ken- neth and Malcolm Jeffris arrived in Janesville yesterday on their return from their trip to Japan and China.

Mrs. Mary Doty and her son Lawrence returned from Chicago Saturday evening.

Mrs. F. H. Farnsworth entertained Saturday afternoon at her home in honor of Mrs. Caldwell of Nashville.

In a hot game Saturday the Jefferson school baseball team defeated the Grant school team by a score of 7 to 5.

H. S. Gilkey of Minneapolis left yesterday in his auto on his trip home.

Kramer Doty is home for a visit after a three years absence in the west. Miss Alice London of Meridian, Miss., is visiting her cousin James London.

Miss Louise Williams returned this morning from Milwaukee.

A. E. Brigham went to Chicago this morning.

L. E. Gottle of Edgerton, was in Janesville today.

Charles Quirk of Milwaukee, spent yesterday with local friends.

Mrs. Laura Carpenter of Ft. Atkinson, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Carpenter.

Mrs. Vilas and Mrs. Quirk of Milwaukee, were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George McKoy.

Hugh Squires, son of Manager G. W. Squires of the Hotel Myers, who has until recently been chauffeur for Peter Hohendahl at Rockville, has taken on a similar position with M. R. Osburn.

J. W. Coon and Henry Johnson of Edgerton were in the city Monday.

A. E. Drobning of Stoughton transacted business in Janesville.

Mrs. L. S. Miller of Marshfield was in the city Sunday.

H. C. Severson, B. H. Hollis, Oscar L. Olson, and E. Elder were among the Stoughton visitors Sunday.

Mrs. L. S. Miller of Marshfield was a Sunday visitor in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Atwood of Minneapolis, are guests at the home of the former's parents on South Jackson street.

Thurs. Brewer departed Sunday for Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Myers, have returned from a six weeks' sojourn in western Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wren, son Robert, and daughter Frances, are here from Partridge, Ill., for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. James Wray, 47 Milwaukee avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Park of Evansville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Trow.

Mrs. Maggie McGovern entertained a company of friends Saturday evening in honor of Mrs. James Ward and two nieces of Albany, Wis.

John Shields is planning to erect a fine home in Riverside park.

Miss Frances Riew departed yesterday for Corlies, Racine county, Wis., where she is to take a course of study in St. Catherine's academy. She was accompanied by her father, Philip Riew, who returned here last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Dillbeck have gone to Baraboo to attend the funeral of their grandson.

Minneapolis Jeffris departed today for Providence, R. I., to resume his studies in Brown University.

Gardner Kuykendall will enter the University of Wisconsin this fall with the intention of completing a course in the law school.

A. N. Gleason is home from Minneapolis for a week.

Kenneth Jeffris went to Beloit today to register as a sophomore in college there.

A. M. Valentine and daughters, the Misses Mae and Grace Valentine, have taken apartments in the old Judge Bennett home on Milton avenue.

M. J. Lacey of Jefferson was in the city today.

Edna Baker and Miss Lulu Baker of Evansville, were Janesville visitors today.

Hugh McKee of Edgerton transacted business here today.

M. E. Barnes of Rockford is in the city on business.

Rev. C. Wesley Boag of Orfordville was in the city last evening.

George Wells, W. A. Cochran, and Claude Shattuck of Delavan were in the city last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Rittenberg of Whitewater were visitors here last evening.

J. H. Monahan, H. C. Martin, and J. H. Kibbe were here last night from Chicago.

H. B. Billings of Evansville was in the city last evening.

L. E. Gottle, chairman of the county board, was here today from Edgerton.

W. T. Pomeroy and H. Koch of Edgerton are in the city today.

C. W. Carpenter of Brookfield is a Janesville visitor.

Mrs. Vina Hertness, Hartland, Ill., is visiting at the home of Alma Elser, 451 Rayline street.

FIRE STARTED BY A GASOLINE FLATIRON

Called the Department to 63 Oakland Avenue This Forenoon—Put Out with Chemicals.

CHOOSE DELEGATES FOR DIXON MEETING

Janesville Men Who Will Attend Meeting to Organize Rock River Improvement Association.

In accordance with the request sent out by the organizers of the movement the local delegates to attend the big meeting in Dixon, Ill., next month to form the Rock River Improvement Association have been elected. The meeting is to be held on the 24th and 25th of October and each city, business and commercial organization, manufacturers' association and water power company is entitled to three delegates.

Mayor Hodges will attend and has appointed as the other two delegates from the city David Holmes, secretary and treasurer of the Hodgett Milling company, and M. G. Jeffris.

At a meeting of the Janesville Improvement company held this morning delegates were chosen. The chairman of the delegation and H. H. Hiles and T. S. Nolan as the other two delegates from that organization.

The Water Power company has chosen V. Richardson, F. H. Hodgett and P. H. Korst as its representatives and the Janesville Launch Club has picked J. C. Harlow, commodore; George McKee, ex-commodore, and P. C. Burpee, secretary, as its delegates.

The purpose of the meeting, which will be attended by representatives of all this section of the middle west, will be to formulate plans for rendering the Rock River Navigable.

HE PREDICTS A 60 PER CENT CORN CROP

J. B. Humphrey Does Not Take an Optimistic View of Dry Season and Its Consequences.

J. B. Humphrey thinks the present season will be remembered as the driest and hottest on record in this locality. He says that there hasn't been enough rain to turn the windmills on the farms and that where gasoline engines have not been installed the livestock have suffered.

According to his estimate there will be a sixty per cent corn crop in Rock county and vicinity. A good soaking rain would help the pasturage even now, but the crops are beyond redemption. Early reports that hay would be low in price this fall he does not expect to see realized. The grazing in the pastures has been so scant for several weeks past in some localities that it has been necessary to draw on the hay stored for the winter and an extra large supply will consequently be needed.

BILLY WILLIAMS BEGINS HIS EVANGELISTIC WORK TONIGHT

Opens His Services with a Strong Talk on "His Majesty the Devil."

Billy Williams, the Minister Evangelist, opens his two weeks of services at the United Brethren church at the corner of Milton and Prospect avenues with a sermon on "His Majesty the Devil." Mr. Williams is an old-time minister man and his talk is one which will interest all who attend. His long experience as a black-faced comedian has equipped him as a public speaker and he is forceful and strong in his statements.

Odd Fellows Attention.
A matter of especial importance to all Odd Fellows will be considered at the regular meeting of Janesville City Lodge No. 39, I. O. O. F., this evening. Every member is urged to be present.

J. W. VAN BEYNUM,
Noble Grand.

W. B. Davis, Secretary.

Marriage License: Marriage licenses have been issued to Margaret Hankley and William Sommerfeldt, both of Fulton, and Loretta Brown and James Goodwin, both of Beloit.

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REVEREND TIPPETT HAS BEEN RETURNED

Comes Back to Janesville for the Eighth Year as Pastor of the Cargill Methodist Church.

At the closing session of the Wisconsin Methodist conference held in Norwalk yesterday Reverend James H. Tippett was returned to the Janesville church and will begin his eighth year as pastor of the Cargill Memorial Church. The following were the appointments made for the Janesville district: John Reynolds, superintendent; Beloit, W. A. Nowing; Clinton and Allen Grove, J. A. Collinge; Dar- den and Fairview, supplied by F. L. Leland; Beloit, W. A. Nowing; East Troy and Germania Settlement, A. W. Triggs; Edgerton and Allouez, C. E. Melnick; Elkhart and Beloit, J. L. Sizor; Evansville, T. W. North; Footville, to be supplied; Fort Atkinson, E. W. Stager; Hunt Prairie circuit, H. S. Martin; Hebron and Rome, E. M. Oliver; Janesville, J. H. Tippett; Jefferson, to be supplied; Lake Geneva, F. C. Richardson; Lake Mills and Milford, C. R. Montague; Lyons, Spring Prairie and Springfield, J. H. Hiles; Milton and Lima, A. Hatesbald; Milton Junction and Otter Creek, A. Porter; Orono and Plymouth, W. E. Shaffer; Palmyra and Little Chute, E. A. Foley; Palmyra circuit, E. S. Martin; Richmond and Hitters Corners, Thomas Sharp; Sharon, G. W. White; Shople, A. W. Gandy; Stoughton and Stebbinsville, E. J. Symons; Watertown, M. L. Evers; Whitewater, L. S. Lenn.

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BITS OF HUMOR



IN THE SWIM.
There goes that Miss Swellhead. Don't you think she's indifferent today? Couldn't say. I didn't see her when she was in before.

SOME LEFT OUT.

When the speech had at last been concluded an old man who had been listening closely and taking notes stepped forward and shook the orator by the hand and said:

"Mr. that was a noble speech of yours, and you must have noticed me leading the vociferous applause from time to time."

"Yes, I did."

"A noble speech, sir, and it went right to the heart of every man on the grounds. Patrick Henry couldn't have done better in his primeval days."

"Thanks for the compliment."

"But I should like you to explain a few things. You said the day was coming when the poorest among us would be the equal of the richest man in the land."

"Yes."

"When there would be no more taxes to pay."

"No more."

"When every man among us would own his own home?"

"Yes, sir."

"When the cost of living would be a mere nothing, and no man would have to work over two hours a day?"

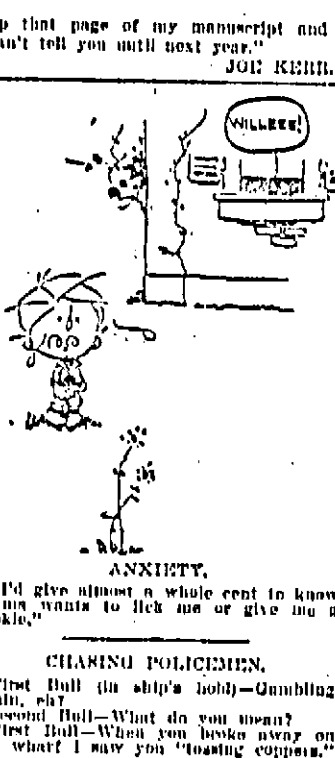
"Yes."

"When every man would have money in his pocket and be equal before the law, and when we would need neither army nor navy to keep the peace of the world?"

"Yes, I said all those things," replied the orator.

"Then I want to ask you when they are going to happen?"

"When, sir—when? I can't just tell you, sir. My dog unfortunately ate



FORTY YEARS AGO

Janesville Daily Gazette, Sept. 22, 1868.—The Steam Engine Trial.—Yesterday afternoon Mr. Hutton took out his second class steam engine for a public exhibition. Mr. Hutton worked the engine first and with an inch and a half nozzle threw a solid stream of water 238 feet six inches. Mr. Little Smith, an engineer on the C. and N. W. R. R., with an inch and a quarter nozzle threw a stream 252 1/2 feet. The farthest stream thrown was when Mr. John R. Hodson handled it, throwing an inch and a quarter stream 262 feet.

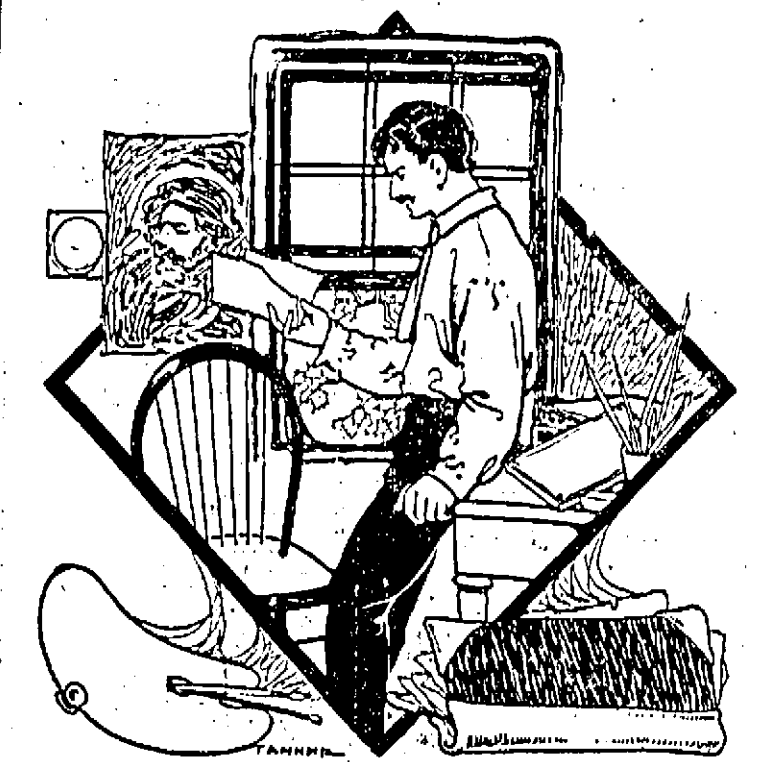
Base Ball Supper.—The honorary members of the Mutual base ball club of this city, entertained the winning nine in the recent game on the Fair grounds, together with the captain of the club, at Garner's, the other evening. Mr. H. M. Hart presided and the affair was altogether a pleasant one, culminated by speeches and greatly enjoyed by all. The nine thoroughly appreciated the generosity of the honoraries.

Suicide as a Luxury.—One Hammond, a saloon-keeper, drew a dull

razor across his throat, last evening, and inflicted a severe but by no means fatal injury. He seems to have bled away at his throat as a species of luxury, this being the second or third time that he has already done it.

Drill of Tanners.—The organization of Company B, Tanners, was effected last evening and Milton H. Doty was elected Captain. A brigade organization was also formed. Col. W. B. Britton being chosen Major. Mr. W. T. Van Kirk was elected Captain of Company A to fill the vacancy created by the promotion of Britton. A portion of the two companies after ward engaged in a short street drill.

Ku-Klux Klan.—New York, Sept. 22.—A special from Atlanta states that a number of Republican speakers at Camilla, near Atlanta, were assaulted by the mob at the Court House of that place. In the mix-up several were shot and killed and others wounded, the official report stating a total of 50 killed and wounded. These outrages are being perpetrated all over the state.



Mat receives a letter from his brother Bill. (From Zanzwill's "The Master.")
Mind Bill.
ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE
Left side down in wall.



FRANK H. HITCHCOCK.

LEAGUE BASEBALL RESULTS.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
New York	48	24	.667
St. Louis	47	25	.653
Pittsburgh	47	25	.653
Philadelphia	47	25	.653
Cincinnati	47	25	.653
Boston	47	25	.653
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Brooklyn	47	25	.653
St. Louis	47	25	.653

In runs, hits and errors the baseball games played on Monday resulted as follows:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At New York—Pittsburgh, 2, 3; 1; New York, 1, 2, 1.
At Boston—Cincinnati, 5, 4; 4; Boston, 5, 1, 1.
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 5, 7; 2; St. Louis, 3, 7, 4.
At Philadelphia—Chicago, 3, 9, 2; Philadelphia, 1, 4, 1; second game, Chicago, 5, 6; 2; Philadelphia, 2, 5, 4.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At St. Louis—St. Louis, 5, 10, 0; Washington, 9, 6, 5.
At Chicago—Chicago, 2, 5, 2; Philadelphia, 6, 3, 4.
At Cleveland—Cleveland, 5, 8, 3; New York, 3, 9, 5.
At Detroit—Boston, 4, 6, 2; Detroit, 2, 6, 0.

PRESIDENT'S VACATION ENDS.

He Leaves Oyster Bay for Washington with His Family.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Sept. 22.—President Roosevelt Tuesday morning ended his vacation, and with his family and executive staff left for Washington.

No formal farewell had been prepared by the residents of Oyster Bay, but practically every one in town was at the railway station to see the president depart and say farewell to him.

Devastating Fire in Quincy.

Quincy, Ill., Sept. 22.—Fire Monday destroyed the city yards and sheds of the Moller & Vandenberg Lumber Company, including a million feet of dressed lumber. The flames also partly destroyed the warehouse of the Williamson Produce Company and burned several dwellings and stables. The damage is \$75,000.

African Natives on War Path.

Windhoek, German Southwest Africa, Sept. 22.—The native leader, Shimon Copper, again is on the warpath and the white inhabitants of the eastern division of the protectorate are in danger.



A lady's ornament.



Let Kodol
Digest what you eat. Then you can Eat what you like.

You once could eat anything you wanted, and your stomach would digest it.

But now there's some things which your stomach won't digest. Your stomach absolutely refuses to accommodate you when you eat certain food—so you have been forced by your stomach to eat food which you detested, and pass up those delicious that you would have really enjoyed.

There is a way now to eat any thing you like, if you will let Kodol digest it.

Kodol will do this, too. It won't talk back or command, but will go right ahead with its work and digest all the food you eat. Kodol will let you eat anything you like and all you want, and you won't suffer with that dull feeling, that fullness, and wish you hadn't eaten so much.

You will not have that heart-burn, which is so annoying at times, if you will let Kodol digest your food a while.

You don't have to use Kodol long—only for a little while—just long enough for your stomach to rest a little. It gets tired sometimes, too—just the same as anybody or

part of your body that works. Kodol will do exactly what your stomach does, when your stomach is well and strong, and more, when it is tired or out of order.

Kodol is composed of exactly the same juices as found in a healthy stomach, and therefore will do the same work as the stomach, when it is well and strong—the only difference is, Kodol never gets tired—and Kodol is the only digestant to-day, that will digest all food and do it as completely, as a strong, healthy stomach.

Get a bottle now and have it ready to help your stomach at times when you need an assistant. Kodol is at the nearest drug store.

Our Guarantee

Go to your druggist today and get a dollar bottle. Then after you have used the entire contents of the bottle if you are not satisfied, that it does not do you any good, return the bottle to the druggist and he will refund your money without question or delay. We will then pay the druggist for the bottle. Don't hesitate, all druggists know that our guarantee is good. This offer applies to the large bottle only and to but one in a family. The large bottle contains as much as the fifty cent bottle.

Kodol is prepared at the laboratories of E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago.

SOLD BY J. P. BAKER AND OTHER DRUGGISTS.

AGENTS—An opportunity to make big money; \$200 monthly from an investment of \$5. Experience not necessary. Don't reply unless you mean business. For full particulars at once write Hayden-Griffin & Co., Toledo, O.

DID YOU EVER

See any one stop and look into a dark store window? Well, then, if yours are not lighted, do you suppose you are going to attract public attention with them? Beyond a doubt light is the best advertisement you can have. Our new Tungsten system gives more and better light at a saving of 20 per cent over the old methods. Can you afford to lose this extra profit?

JANESVILLE ELECTRIC CO.

On the Bridge. Both Phones.

SMALL ADS. IN THE WANT COLUMN

3 lines 3 times	25c
4 lines 3 times	35c
5 lines 3 times	45c
6 lines 3 times	50c
3 lines 1 month	\$1.75

Seven words, parts of words or abbreviations make one line. Orders sent by mail will receive careful attention. Answers to your advertisements may be sent care of Gazette if you desire.

If opportunity has not knocked at your door, try a want ad.

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED to buy—Second hand bicycle. Inquire of A. H. Hanks, 3 Prairie Ave.

WANTED—High painting in exchange for large Victor talking machine and records. Will be bartered. Address sign: Painting, care Gazette.

WANTED—Good sized chair, cotton case, any color, for winter use; four feet, a pound, for right kind; work-out apron; cotton dresses, shirts and underwear. Call old collar and cuff bands and buttons. Gazette office.

WANTED—Carpenter to represent Janesville, Wis. Call on Chicago in Janesville and vicinity. First proposition on the market. Call and investigate. T. A. Hays, Park Hotel, Janesville.

WANTED—Small second hand duck boat. Must be cheap for cash. Address K. C. care Gazette.

WANTED—Painting to do by day or week. 100 Center street; new duplex 944 line.

HAVING returned from my western trip, I am prepared to do all kinds of shoe work at my residence, 100 Madison avenue, and would like to have all my friends and neighbors call. All work guaranteed. O. P. Hanks.

WANTED—Hills for clearing off standing trees and stumps of lumber lot on Illinois street (near Ringold's) which is part of the Illinois farm. (Five to ten acres). Party willing to have all wood and stumps removed. W. D. Johnson, 100 Milwaukee St., Milwaukee, Wis.

WANTED—Machine hands and cabinet makers. Janesville Furniture Co.

WANTED MALE HELP.

WANTED, at once—Men for cutting corn. Apply to K. C. Richards, Emerald Grove road.

AGENCY—Agent for Hoover potato digger and repairs; telephone call of Rock Co. R. L. Hendell, telephone Clinton 13-4, Beloit.

WANTED—Salesman and house to house canvassers; experienced and competent men and coffee wagon salesman for old and new established routes and territory, or will handle good hustling grocery store with clean records. Married men only, and town then the business. Positions worth \$10 to \$25 weekly. Apply to headquarters, Jewett Ten Co., 18 N. May St., Chicago, Ill.

Buy it in Janesville.

WANTED FEMALE HELP.

WANTED—Young girl about 15 or 16 years of age to care for baby after school and holidays. Mrs. M. D. Grubb.

PROB WANTED, FEMALE—Those seeking employment in any line can reach those offering help through the Gazette, 3 lines 3 times.

WANTED—Position as housekeeper by middle-aged lady capable of taking full charge of a widower's home. Call or address 257 S. Jackson St.

WANTED—Competent girl for housework; wages \$5; no washing. Mrs. Frank H. Hanks, 407 Court St.

OPPORTUNITY—An experienced, self-reliant lady collector can acquire a pleasant position with the Wisconsin Ladies' Mill Co., or with Janesville, commencing with work here in Janesville, at \$2 per day. First application with resume attention. Call or address Miss Dunbar, 215 State Street, Taylor St.

WANTED—Immediately—Experienced waitress; also girl for private home and hotel. Mrs. K. McCarthy 270 W. Milwaukee St. Only phone.

WANTED—A competent cook. Apply to Mrs. A. J. Harris, 102 Hamilton Ave.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; good wages and small family. Mrs. J. L. Westwick, 108 N. Lawrence Avenue.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—In Third Ward—New 3-room house; modern improvements; good bath; two acres of ground; cherry and plum orchard; raspberries, red and black currants; large asparagus bed. New phone, 913 Blue.

FOR RENT—Good ten and five-room suburban house with cellar, well, electric, bath and hot water. Old phone 481.

FOR RENT—Furnished parlor and bedroom; steam heat; all modern conveniences; suitable for two ladies. Inquire at 28 N. Jackson St.

FOR RENT—Two large furnished rooms; all modern conveniences; single or en suite. 215 N. Third phone 600.

FOR RENT—\$10 to \$100 per month will help in any home. Most any woman can arrange things to have a spare room to rent to a desirable tenant. This tenant can be found by advertising in the Gazette. Try it for a month and increase your income.

FOR RENT—An eight-room house in good location; gas, city and hot water. Apply at 115 West Ave.

FOR RENT—Several modern flats and houses in good location. Apply to P. H. Snyder, Cattle block.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—7-room house No. 12 Walker St. City water and gas; pleasant location. Rent reasonable. Inquire at 50 Milson Avenue, or call new phone 209.

FOR RENT—Shower room; heated bath; furnace, city water and gas. 220 N. High St. Lower level. Call.

FOR RENT—A modern steam-heated flat. Apply to P. L. Stevens, Lovejoy block.

FOR RENT—Six steam-heated, all modern, up-to-date flats; a good room modern house, newly painted and painted; several small houses. Call at 11 West Milwaukee St., Janesville, Wis. Jan. W. South, West, East, South and Telephone, both phones.

FOR RENT—First-class ground floor flat at 20 Cornelia St. Inquire on premises or at W. H. Dougherty, 205 Jackson St.

FOR RENT—One—Our residence, 108 N. High St. City water and gas. Apply to W. W. Wines or P. L. Stevens.

FOR RENT—Furnished house; modern improvements. 1027 Gazette.

FOR RENT—Six-room house, 109 Goulder Ave. City and hot water and all conveniences. Inquire at 201 Center Avenue.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for night housekeeping on ground floor, this street, 20 North St.

FOR SALE—Real Estate, Houses, Lots and Farms.

FOR SALE—House in First ward two blocks from car line. Will exchange for lots. New phone 715 Blue.

FOR SALE—A bargain—Property at 18 S. 4th street. Rent and address owner M. M. York, 100 Pearl St.

FOR SALE—Lot 4 block 4 Whiskey's addition on N. Third St. Address "H" care Gazette.

FOR SALE—A bargain—A good restaurant, new steam parlor and confectionery store, all well furnished and fitted up to doing a good business. For particulars call on Jan. W. South, West, East, South and Telephone, both phones. Money to loan on good security.

FOR SALE—Live Stock.

FOR SALE—Nine-year-old driving mare. Good about 1000; rubber tire; lucky. Harness, blankets, robe, etc. A. E. Ventilation.

FORE SALE—Live Stock.

FOR SALE—Five good milk cows; prices reasonable. Inquire Skinner, Route 1 Milwaukee road, Janesville.

FOR SALE—Horse and vehicle. Every advertisement under this heading comes before the eyes of all. 3 lines 3 times, 25c.

FOR SALE—Horse, wagon and harness for delivery of Mrs. Harry Moore, 515 N. Franklin St.

FOR SALE—A lot of early buck lambs. John Higgins, Janesville, Route 1, box 21.

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—Nineteen-year-old early oak wood. William Dixon, Kenosha, Route 17.

FOR SALE—Ladies' day and night gowns, all new. Call on phone 1000.

SECOND hand upright Kimball piano, \$50. New condition of value, you will be surprised to see how quickly you can get it if it is sold here at a price less than \$100. The piano is a factory model and is in perfect condition. Factory delivered to us, to sell at once, to save storage. Call from 1 to 5 afternoon, at 105 Pleasant street. Much more than ever offered in Janesville. Call quick, as they will not sell again.

FOR SALE—The above, child's iron bed and cabinet. A. Ventilation, 7 Jackson St.

A lot of patent medicines advertised in this paper for sale at Holmstrom's drugstore.

LOST.

LOST—If you are unfortunate enough to lose a watch, a ring or a piece of jewelry, please call on me and you will be surprised to see how quickly you can get it if it is sold here at a price less than \$100. The piano is a factory model and is in perfect condition. Factory delivered to us, to sell at once, to save storage. Call from 1 to 5 afternoon, at 105 Pleasant street. Much more than ever offered in Janesville. Call quick, as they will not sell again.

LOST Saturday evening at Milwaukee St. 12 and West Milwaukee St. Reward at Gazette office.

LOST—String of many beads on Jackson St. Milwaukee, Wis. Return to Mrs. M. M. York, 100 Pearl St.

LOST—Small brooch between Milson Avenue 12 and West Milwaukee St. Reward at Gazette office.

LOST—White Fox Terrier puppy; black on each side of face with two small yellow spots over each black spot at base of ear. Call on 125 N. High St. Reward, please notify Mrs. M. M. York.

LOST—Between Academy and Cherry Sts. 11 Gold bracelet with initials "A. A. P." Found at 100 N. High St. Reward.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SEEK the demonstrations of Acorn stoves at P. H. Lowry's, Franklin, Wis. Road, 25 N. 2d St. A good time as well as a lot of information about stoves and baking.

A GOOD LIVERY

CLEAN, BRIGHT, GOOD HORSES.

This stable has been refitted with mostly new carriages of the latest design. We furnish horses that are apt at all times for either ladies or gentlemen carriages to and from train and for all occasions, at any time, day or night.

MINNICK'S LIVERY.

A. P. Minnick, Proprietor, 115 N. Milwaukee St., Janesville, Wis.

MONEY TO LOAN at real estate security. P. L. Stevens, 100 S. Jackson St.

Cut Rate Shipping.

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific Coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Ford Transfer Co., Milwaukee, Minn.

SUBSCRIPTION to this paper will live out of the pocket of every citizen. You will find it a pleasure to read it. Try it for a week. If you like it, pay for it for a month. If you like it, pay for it for a year. If you like it, pay for it for a lifetime.

Increasing Population of Gotham.

There has been a large increase in the number of emigrants from the port of New York during the last year, but the net result is that the city is growing at the rate of about 32,000 a month through immigration.

Rev. George Link Passes Away.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 22.—Rev. George Link of the German Evangelical church, who had filled pastorates at Lebanon, Wis., St. Louis, Mo., Springfield, Ill., Laporte, Ind., and other places, died here Monday night, aged 79 years.

REAL ESTATE MARKET

FOR SALE!

Opportunity is knocking at your door—a chance to get a beautiful home in the finest location in Janesville. This property is known as the Mrs. F. S. Eldred residence on South Jackson and has been placed in our hands for quick sale. Will be pleased to show you the property.

LOWELL REALTY CO.

HAYES BLOCK. BOTH PHONES.

NOTICE OF HEARING—STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County.

Notice is hereby given that as a special term of the county court to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday, being the 20th day of October, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the following matter will be heard and decided:

The application of Agnes H. Timpany for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of David A. Hiron, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.

Dated September 22, 1908.

By the Court,
J. H. HARRIS, Register in Probate.

W. J. LITTS & CO.

Cor. Milwaukee and River Sts.

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The BRASS BOWL

By LOUIS JOSEPH VANCE

"What are you offering me in exchange for my silly dream?" she inquired, a trace of spirit quickening her tone.

"A fair exchange, I think—something that I wouldn't offer you if you hadn't been able to dream." He paused, doubtful, elusive.

"Go on," she told him, faintly. Since it must come, as well be over with it.

"See here," he took heart of desperation. "You took to Maitland when you thought he was in. Why not take to me for myself? I'm as good a man, better as a man, than he. If I do blow my own horn, you side with me, little woman, and—well, that—and I'll treat you square. I never went back on a pal yet. Why, brightening with enthusiasm as his gaze appraised her, "with your looks and your cleverness and my knowledge of the business, we can sweep the country, you and I."

"Oh!" she cried, breathlessly. "We'll start right now," he plunged on, unreeling her, "right now, with last night's haul. You'll chuck this added sentimental pang-of-conscience jaw, hand over the jewels, and—well, I'll hand 'em back to you the day we're married, all set and—well, as handsome a wedding present as any woman ever got."

She twisted in her chair to hide her face from him, fairly cornered at last, brain awfully devising a hundred maneuvers, each more hopeless than the last, to cheat and divert him for the time, until—until—

The consciousness of his presence near her, of the sheer strength and might of will-power of the man, born upon her heavily; she was like a child in his hands, helpless. She turned with a hushed gasp to find that he had risen and come close to her chair; his face was not a foot from hers, his eyes dangerous; in another moment he would have his strong arms about her. She shrank away, terrified.

"No, no!" she begged.

"Well, and why not? Well?"—tensely.

"How do I know? This afternoon I was—well, you robbed and sold you for—well, for what you call a scruple. How can I know that you are not paying me back in my own coin?"

"Oh, but little woman!" he laughed, tenderly, coming nearer. "It is because you did that, because you could hold those scruples and make a fool of me for their sake, that I want you. Don't think I'm capable of playing with you—it takes a woman to do that. Don't you know?"—he bent nearer and his breath was warm upon her cheek—"don't you know that you're too rare and fine and precious for a man to risk losing? Come now!"

"Not yet," she started to her feet and away. "Wait. There's a cab!"

The street without was echoing with the clattering drum of galloping hoofs. "At this hour!" she cried, aghast.

"Could it be?"

"No, fear. Besides—there, it's stopped."

"In front of this house!"

"No, three doors up the street, at least. That's something you must learn, and I can teach you—to judge distance by sound in the darkness—"

"But I tell you," she insisted, retreating before him, "it's a risk. There, did you hear that?"

"That" was the dulled crash of the front door.

Audley stepped to the table on the instant and plunged the room in darkness.

"Steady!" he told her evenly.

"Steady. It can't be—but take no chances. Go to the trunk closet and get that window open. If it's Maitland,—grit—well, I'll follow."

"What do you mean? What are you going to do?"

"Leave that to me. I've never been caught yet."

Cold fear gripped her heart as, in a flash of intuition, she divined his intention.

"Quick!" he bade her, savagely.

"Don't you want—"

"I can't see," she invented. "Where's the door? I can't see."

"Here."

Through the darkness his fingers found hers. "Come," he said.

"Ah!"

Her hand closed over his wrist, and in a thought she had flung herself before him and caught the other. In the movement her hand brushed against something that he was holding; and it was cold and smooth and hard.

"Ah! no, no!" she implored. "Not that, not that!"

With an oath he attempted to throw her off, but, frail strength magnified

by a fury of fear, she joined issue with him, clinging to his wrist with the tenacity of a wildcat, though she was lifted from her feet and dashed this way and that brutally, mercilessly.

She remained quiescent for a little, hands twitching in her lap, torn by conflicting emotions—fear of and aversion for the man, amusement, chill horror bred of the knowledge that he was voicing the truth about her, the truth, at least, as he saw it, and—as as Maitland would see it.

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She had meant choice other than to obey. Desperate as she was, her strength had been severely overtaxed, and she might not presume upon it too greatly. Fascinated with terror, she let herself down into an easy chair.

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"Kings," he commented, rapidly inventorying what he saw. "How'd you get hold of them?"

"They are Mr. Maitland's. He must have forgotten them."

The burglar chuckled grimly. "Coincidences multiply. It is odd. That harp, O'Hagan, was coming in with a can of beer while I was picking the lock, and caught me. He wanted to know if I'd mislaid my trunk for Green-fields, and I gave him my word of honor or I had. Moreover, I'd mislaid my keys and had been ringing for him for the past ten minutes. He swallowed every word of it. By the way, here's a glove of yours. You certainly managed to leave enough clues about to insure your being nabbed even by a New York detective."

He faced about, tossing her the glove, and with it so keen and penetrating a glance that her heart sank for fear that he had guessed her secret. But as he continued his regal confidence.

"I could teach you a thing or two," he suggested, pleasantly. "You make about as many mistakes as the average beginner. And, on the other hand, you've got the majority beaten to a finish for cuteness. You're as quick as they make them."

She strengthened up, uneasy, oppressed by a vague surmise as to whether this tended.

"Thank you," she said, breathlessly. "But hadn't you better—"

"Plenty of time, my dear. Maitland has gone to Greenfields and we've several hours before us. Look here, little woman, why don't you take a tumble to yourself, cut out all this nonsense, and look to your own interests?"

"I don't understand you," she faltered, "but it—"

"I'm talking about this Maitland affair. Cut it out and forget it. You're too good-looking and valuable to yourself to lose your head just all on account of a little moonlight flirtation with a good-looking millionaire. You don't suppose for an instant that there's anything in it for you, do you? You're nothing to Maitland—just an incident; next time he meets the baby-sitter for you. You can thank your lucky stars he happened to have a reputation to sustain as a village cut-up, a rascal, and dog, always out for a good time and hung the expense! Otherwise he'd have handed you yours without a moment's hesitation. I'm not doing this up in tin-fol and trying a violet ribbon with tassels on it, but I'm handing it straight to you; something you don't want to forget. You just sink your hooks in the fact that you're nothing to Maitland and that he's nothing to you, and never will be, and you won't lose anything—except illusions."

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CHAPTER XI.
"Dan"—Quikote.

Leaving the hotel, Maitland strode quickly but rapidly across the car tracks to the sidewalk bordering the park. A dozen night-hawk cabbies bore down upon him, yelping in chorus. He motioned to the foremost, jumped into the hansom and gave the follow his address.

"Five dollars," he added, "if you make it in five minutes."

An astonished horse, roused from a drooping lethargy, was yanked almost by main strength out of the curb-rank and into the middle of the avenue. Before he could recover, the long whip-lash had loped out over the roof of the vehicle, and he found himself stretching away up the avenue on a dead run.

Yet to Maitland the pace seemed deadly slow. He gazed on the seat in an agony of impatience, a dozen times feeling in waistcoat pocket for his latch keys. They were there, and his fingers itched to use them.

By the lights straddling past he knew that their pace was furious, and he was haunted by a fear lest it should bring the police about his ears. At Twenty-ninth street, indeed, a gleaming policeman, startled by the uproar, emerged hastily from the sheltering gloom of a store entrance, shouted after the cabby an inarticulate question, and, getting no response, unsheathed his night stick and loped up the avenue in pursuit, making the locust jump upon the pavement at every jump.

In the cab, Maitland, turning to watch through the rear peephole, was thrown violently against the side as the hansom reeled on one wheel into the street. Recovering, he seized the dashboard and gathered himself together, ready to spring the instant the vehicle paused in its headlong career.

Through the cabby's misunderstanding, the horse was reined in on its haunches some three houses distant from the apartment building. Maitland found himself sprawling on his hands and knees on the sidewalk, picked himself up, shouting: "You'll wait!" to the driver, and sprinted madly the few yards separating him from his own front door, keys ready in hand.

Simultaneously the half-winded policeman lumbered around the Fifth avenue corner, and a man, detaching himself from the shadows of a neighboring doorway, began to trot lightly across the street, evidently with the intention of intercepting Maitland at the door.

He was hardly quick enough. Maitland did not even see him. The door slammed in the man's face, and he, panting furiously, rapped out an imprecation and began a frantic assault on the push-button marked "Janitor."

To be continued.

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REVOLT IMPENDS IN PORTUGAL.

Both Republicans and Monarchical Extremists Said to Be Arming.

Lisbon, Sept. 22.—Insistent declarations that a revolutionary outbreak in Portugal is impending continue to make their appearance in the local newspapers, and a new feature of these reports is the statement that the Republicans are arming for a revolt, are making ready for their defense by storing secretly large quantities of arms in the convents of Lisbon, where the authorities dare not penetrate.

The movement is said to be supported actively by the clerical party.

Double Murder by Drugged Man.

Johnstown, Pa., Sept. 22.—Joseph Johns, aged 38, Monday entered his home at Conemaugh and shot and killed his wife, aged 25, and her aunt, Mrs. Charles Coughlin, who resided with them. He had been out of work for some time, and it is supposed he had become deranged.

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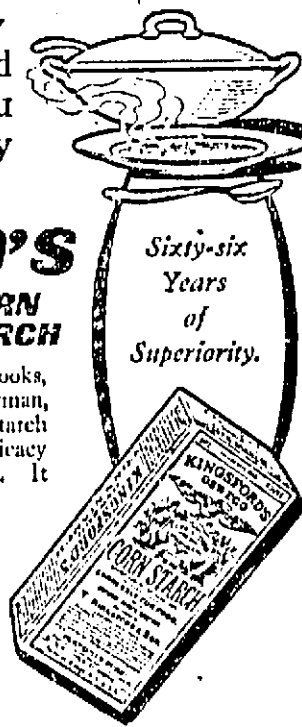
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Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the County Court for Rock County, held at the County House in the City of Janesville, on the first Monday of April, A. D. 1908, being April 13, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and decided by the Court.

All claims against the estate of Mary Maternity, late of the City of Janesville in said county, deceased, must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the City of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 15th day of March, A. D. 1909, or be barred.

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TODAY'S MARKETS.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Chicago, Sept. 22.—Cattle receipts, 6,000; market, steady; hogs, 3,600; 7.50; cows and heifers, 1.35 to 1.50; western, 2.20 to 2.30; calves, 5.50 to 7.75.
Hog receipts, 12,000; market, steady to strong; light, 6.60 to 7.20; heavy, 6.60 to 7.60; mixed, 6.50 to 7.15; pigs, 4.50 to 6.30; bulk of sales, 6.90 to 7.15.
Sheep receipts, 22,000; market, slow to weak; western, 2.25 to 4.30; natives, 2.25 to 4.30; lambs, 3.25 to 5.70.
Wheat: May—Opening, 1.03 1/2 to 1.04; high, 1.03 1/2; low, 1.02 3/4; closing, 1.02 3/4 to 1.03; Dec.—Opening, 1.00 1/2 to 1.01; high, 1.01 1/2; low, 99 1/2 to 1.00; closing, 99 1/2 to 1.00.
Rye—Closing, 75 1/2 to 76.
Barley—Closing, 57 1/2 to 58.
Corn—May, 64 1/2 to 64 3/4; Sept., 77 1/2; Dec., 64 1/2.
Oats—May, 50 1/2 to 50 3/4; Sept., 48 1/2 to 48 3/4.
Poultry—Turkeys, 11 to 15; springers, 12 1/2; chickens, 11.
Butter—Creamery, 20 to 22 1/2; dairy, 17 to 20.
Eggs—22.

ALDERMAN HORSTMAN CAUSES SENSATION BY HIS CHARGES

Bellevue Council Site Up and Takes Note of When Violation of Ordinances Are Disclosed.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Bellevue, Sept. 22.—Alderman Horstman threw a bomb into the session of the council last evening when he informed the members of the council that every saloon in the city was violating the law which required them to have their screens all down, showing the bar and interior of the saloons at the time of closing. He went so far as to succeed in having the council pass an order that all saloons who did not comply with the law would have their licenses revoked October 3 for violations thereof. Playgrounds for the school children were also discussed, the outgrowth of the arrest of five youngsters last week for playing on the school grounds.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

GENTLEMEN: Harold Allen, A. T. Ballard, John V. Burdick, Alanson Brown, E. B. Chamberlain, Wm. Chipman, W. H. Crane, F. H. Culver, James Cusack, J. Deibert, Jas. Engle, Chas. Dunbar, L. M. Fisher, Henry Johnson, Gratiotville Livacore, J. A. Love, John W. McGrath, Dr. A. J. Millard, Edward Millman, R. W. Miller, R. B. Ogden, Chas. Peckham, G. C. Phelps, C. B. Radford, Russell P. Walker, George Wells.

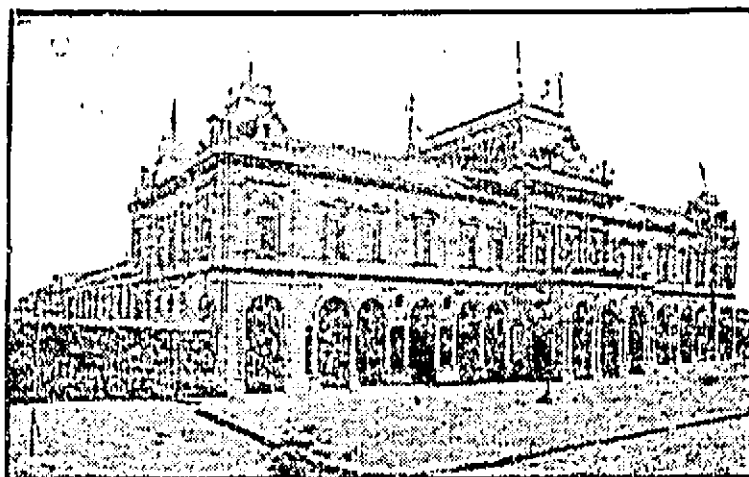
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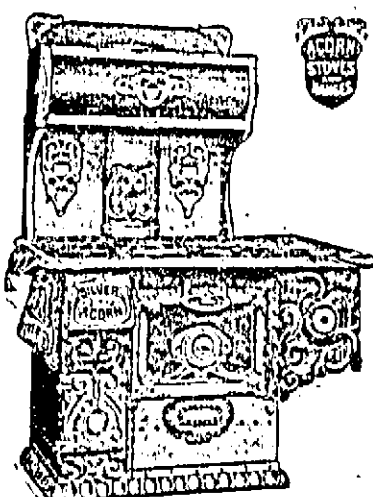
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Indian Bridal Customs. Among the Hopi, a tribe of Pueblo Indians, the bride goes to the home of the bridegroom and grinds corn for his parents for three weeks. He makes a wash for her, and then they pour water on their heads and the ceremony is complete. When a Navajo girl marries, the bridegroom gives 12 horses to his mother-in-law. In some tribes the man never meets his mother-in-law after the marriage.

Opposed to Cremation. Belgium officially frowns on cremation.

Owls Under a Ban. The usual crusade is going on against the harmless necessary owl. The good he does in consuming endless voles, shrews, moles and mice is ignored or forgotten; the evil laid to his charge is exaggerated a hundred fold.—London Standard.

Latest Fly Screen. A quadrangular screen, which opens or closes as a door to which it is attached at the top is opened or closed. Invented by a Kamen, is said to prevent flies and other insects from entering a house.

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